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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DRIVE TO BE LAUNCHED ON TUESDAY

OFFICERS NAMED IN BOOST ARMY

The preliminary work of the Expansion Campaign for the Ukiah Chamber of Commerce has about been completed, and the intensive part of the campaign will start next Tuesday morning, January 24.

The executive commitaee consisting of A. R. Thomas, chairman, E. L. Albertson, Louis Hofman, Charles Kasch, and Walter Sandelin, have been devoting a great deal of time perfecting the plans of the campaign.

Various committee and group meetings have been held during the past week, outlining suggestions for a tentative program of work, which will be submitted to the community, so that every one interested in the progress of the chamber of commerce will know some of the many important items needing the attention of this organization. Some of the important suggestions which will later be considered, when the program is ready to be written, are: completion of the sewer system, more and better highways, securing an aviation field, the building of a public swimming pool, a clean-up and beautification campaign, the securing of a new depot, urging the completion of the additional units for the new high school, conducting a judicious campaign for community advertising, working out plans for the establishment of Ukiah as a shopping center, creating a closer relationship between the city and county, and many other progressive projects needing the support of the entire citizenship.

It is the aim of the executive committee and those interested in the success of this campaign, to bring before the public that this chamber of commerce is a democratic organization, and urges the moral, as well as the financial support of every citizen.

The definite program of work will be built from the suggestions of all of the membership and will be approved by the new board of directors, which will be elected shortly after the completion of the campaign.

Follett Morris and Stanley Watson, the colonels of the two team organization divisions are completing their teams, who will start out Tuesday morning, to sign up both memberships and service funds for the Ukiah Chamber of Commerce.

The captains working in these two divisions are:

Under Colonel Follett Morris, C. A. Bernhard, Wm. Bromley, H. R. Pauli, Guy Redwine, and Dr. L. K. Van Allen.

Under Colonel Stanley Watson, Walter Hill, George D. Merk, Walter Sandelin and George Vevoda.

The entire team organization, as well as the executive and advisory committee, together with any others interested in this campaign, are invited and urged to be present at a campaign smoker, which will be held in the Palace hotel, next Monday evening, January 23, at 7:30. This smoker will be both interesting and instructive. An interesting program has been arranged, following which, detailed instructions will be given out, together with the necessary supplies, so that the teams can start on their work the first thing Tuesday morning. The first report luncheon will be held with the Rotary club at the Palace hotel, Tuesday noon, January 24. The second report luncheon will be held with the Lions club at the Cecille hotel, Wednesday noon, January 25. The third and what should be the final report luncheon will be held at the Palace hotel Thursday noon, January 26. It is the hope of the executive committee, and the team organization, that the goal will be reached by that time, and the campaign completed. Never in the history of Ukiah has a chamber of commerce been needed more than right at the present time. There has always been a use for a chamber of commerce, but each year brings out more progressive projects that make a central clearing house for civic matters more essential than ever.

With the completion of the highway between Grants Pass, Oregon, and Eureka, together with the millions of dollars invested by citizens and railways for advertising the West, Ukiah has its big opportunity for united effort, to bring men and money to assist in developing our community.

CANCEL APPLICATION

An application for a marriage license was filed this week by Charles G. Huse, 49, of Cummings, and Mabel Rogers, 28, of Piercy.

The application was cancelled yesterday by the young lady, who, evidently exercised the prerogative of her sex and changed her mind.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCracken were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Frances Jones, of Hopland. Mrs. Jones has passed her 97th year and is hale and hearty.

MEETING CALLED OF ATHLETIC CLUB MONDAY

The organization meeting of the Ukiah athletic club is to be held at the K. P. hall next Monday evening at 7:30. It is important that the members turn out in full force, as officers are to be elected and the club put on a going basis. A number of proposals are to come up for discussion looking to the future of the organization.

To date there are 48 members signed up and Paul Poulos, who is steering the proposition, expects to have 60 active members.

THE WEATHER

The total rainfall for the season to date has reached 14.02 inches. The minimum temperature the past week was 22 degrees, by the government thermometer, although private instruments in some parts of town went to 17 it is reported.

Gene Hopkins was down from Potter valley, on business last Thursday.

REGISTRATION CLOSES MARCH 10 FOR PRIMARY

Dwellers in Municipalities Will Find Themselves at Disadvantage

Dwellers in incorporated cities in Mendocino county, in common with the remainder of city dwellers throughout the state, will find themselves at a disadvantage with the urban population of the county as regards registration for the presidential primaries. The primaries are held May first. In rural communities the registration for this election will close on March 31, but in the incorporated cities it will close 21 days earlier—March 10. This earlier closing date in the cities is on account of the city elections, which are to be held on April 9. Registrations for the city elections close March 10, and the closed period overlaps into the time for closing the registrations for the presidential primaries.

Therefore, all voters in incorporated towns are urged to register at once in order to insure their qualification to vote at the presidential primaries.

BUSINESS CHANGE

Ernest Neuhaus, who has been conducting the Scales garage, has taken over the Starke garage and will move his equipment to the new location the first of February.

MORE WORK REQUIRED OF TEACHERS HOLDING COUNTY CERTIFICATES

Renewals to Be Given Only on Completion of Extra Study at Training Institutions

GRADUATION EXES MAY 15-18

The county board of education, at its regular session on January 4, 1928, adopted the following regulation concerning renewal of certificates to teach in Mendocino county:

"Subsequent to November 30, 1928, certificates to teach in this county, granted on the basis of county examinations of this or any other county, will not be renewed, except upon presentation by applicant of satisfactory evidence of applicant's having completed, during the life of the certificate to be renewed, at least six semester hours of work in subjects to be approved by the county board of education or its authorized agent, in a teacher-training institution or institutions, accredited by the state board of education."

Teachers having certificates that come under this regulation are advised to confer with a member of the county board of education concerning renewal.

Eighth Grade Exes

Dates of eighth grade examinations are set as follows:

Constitution of the United States, May 8, 1928.

Standard Tests, May 15, 16 and 17, 1928.

Attendance of each pupil, subsequent to these exaxminations, must be reported by the teacher, along with the teacher's recommendation concerning graduation of the pupil. For all absences subsequent to these examinations, excuses must accompany the report. Acceptability of these excuses is discretionary with the county board of education.

No pupil will be granted a diploma of graduation from the eighth grade except upon specific recommendation by teachers or principals.

EXPERT TO INSTALL NEW ORGAN AT STATE

Fred Wood, one of the state's most experienced artisans, arrived in Ukiah Thursday evening and has set to work installing the new Wurlitzer Hope-Jones organ at the State theatre. Wood's services are in great demand as an organ builder and George Mann, proprietor of the State, considers himself extremely fortunate in being able to obtain Wood to set up the organ at the local playhouse.

The organ will be ready for use in about two weeks.

SEVENTY-FIVE VOICES INCLUDED IN CHORUS

Work of Organization, Planned by Starr Nevins, Completed Monday Evening

H. T. HARVEY TO BE LEADER

The Ukiah male chorus was organized Monday evening of this week, and resulted in much gratification to all those who had conceived the plan. The committee had limited the membership to seventy-five and this limit was almost reached Monday night.

L. S. Nevins, who was responsible for the organization plans, demonstrated his ability in this connection. In the opinion of many of those who became members, the chorus, from the standpoint of organization, is unique in its perfection. Every detail of the organization has been worked out in a systematic, methodical manner. The chorus is fortunate in having Mr. Nevins in charge of this department.

William Ford has been appointed secretary-treasurer and those making the appointment feel sure that he will fill the position in an efficient and thorough manner. Thomas Ford is in charge of the musical library.

In an interview with Mr. Hugh T. Harvey, who is musical director of the chorus, he states: "The remarkable response to our call for members for the Ukiah male chorus, evidences the fact, that Ukiah places her stamp of approval on our organization. After having tried out and selected over seventy voices, two-thirds of which are boys between eight and fourteen years old, I can only say, that Ukiah has a thrill in store for herself, when the chorus is ready for public demonstration. I detected much material for solo work and other combinations of music that we will work out as time goes on."

The regular rehearsal night for the entire chorus will be Monday of each week from 7:00 until 8:00 o'clock. We will start promptly and finish promptly so that the little chaps will not be kept out too late.

On Monday night after the rehearsal, I will help any of the adult members, who wish special instruction. The boys of the chorus will be divided into three groups; the first group will be given special instruction on Tuesday evening from 7:00 until 7:30; the second group on Wednesday and the third on Thursday at the same time."

Both accompanists have been selected, namely: Mrs. Hugh T. Harvey and Miss Mary Ellison. A list of the chorus members follows:

Howard G. Morgan, Chaplin A. Williams, George Hengeveld, Jack Martensen, Jim Kasch, Kenneth

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CECIL ANSWERS QUESTIONS FOR READERS OF DISPATCH

Cecil, who appeared at the State theatre last night and who is appearing again tonight, answers below the questions submitted by the Dispatch readers who sent in their queries up to yesterday evening at 5 o'clock. Queries coming in since that time will be submitted to her and will be answered in next week's paper.

H. O. W.—You would have no trouble at all, and it would be very much to your advantage to own one.

R. N. S.—GLENDALE.—They were professional thieves. There were three parties. They have been arrested, and are now in jail.

E. F.—It will be a change of location in June, towards Los Angeles, Calif.

R. L. C.—He will get entirely well—but very slowly.

H. W. G.—You will go—to one in the near south.

C. S. S.—It is an internal illness. She will get well. You will not get the money for some time.

A. H.—You will graduate—and get that work. I do not tell names of persons in a case of that kind. She will come to see you.

R. E.—In July, to San Francisco, Cal.

A. L.—He will be tall, light blue eyes, blonde hair. It will take place in 1929.

L. W.—Not entirely well—but it will improve a very great deal.

Y. Z.—No. I am sorry, I do not see a sale for five years.

MRS. M. A.—I would advise the husband to continue the same way he did before as I see a big success.

L. S.—You will marry that boy. I see two children for you.

P. T.—I would advise a change of doctors.

R. S.—Yes, she is true to you but you are not true to her.

T. M.—Yes, you will.

I. N.—You will make a trip soon to Los Angeles. Please stay sober in the future.

F. O.—Yes, continue with that law suit. Keep the same attorney.

MRS. J. L.—Advertise in this paper and you will get results.

FRANK V.—Your health will improve soon. Go to bed early.

HAS RADIO BRAIN

Cecil has proven the possessor of a truly radio brain. She is an American girl, born and educated in the city of New York, inherited the psychic gift from her parents and was in her early life identified as a mystic marvel carrying on mental readings at the age of six, and became famous in the East as Baby Cecil.

So mysterious was the art of this remarkable little girl that she was requested to appear before a committee of intellectual celebrities, including among others Sir Conan Doyle and Houdini. After due investigation and sober deliberation, this group of noted scientists departed as mystified as the audiences whom Cecil has entertained and instructed day by day during her well-known American tours.

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The Rambler

It is reported that George Anderson will not stand for reelection and that Bill Held is being urged to become a candidate for mayor.

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It was unfortunate that it became necessary to electrocute Ruth Snyder in the State of New York. It is naturally abhorrent to put a woman to death, but if she insists in committing murder, there does not seem to be any other alternative. It is not so unfortunate that capital punishment must be inflicted as it is that offenses are committed which make the imposition of the death penalty necessary.

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The Golden Gate Ferry Company is now making an application to operate a ferry from Point San Quentin to San Francisco. Their application has aroused the Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company which now seeks to improve its transportation facilities between San Rafael and San Francisco. It is difficult to understand the attitude of a concern that does not give service to the public until forced to do so by active competition.

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Quite an opposite position is taken by the State theatre at Ukiah. Just now Mr. Mann is installing a pipe organ at considerable expense and from all indications, it will be quite a satisfactory organ, too. The best way to avoid ruinous competition when you have a monopoly is to give the people such excellent service that competition will not be desired by the patrons.

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The chamber of commerce sent a questionnaire to the students of the high school asking for suggestions for chamber of commerce activities. The replies have been exceedingly interesting, and a tabulation of them shows that the youngsters are essentially sound in observations and desires. The high school student wants paved streets, sidewalks, sewers, street lighting, removal of the old grammar school, demolition of old barns and fences, removal of hideous sign boards, and in general those things which would make Ukiah a better place in which to live.

And the replies to this same questionnaire would be mighty interesting to those who accuse the youth of today of being rattle brained, shallow and silly. The answers indicate sane, and constructive thinking on the part of the students, and show a careful consideration of civic affairs.

And this is as it should be for the students in the high school today will soon be taking their places as leaders in the affairs of the community. The replies indicate that we need not have any fear of our future leaders.

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The Ukiah Chamber of Commerce is engaged in an expansion campaign. The purpose of a chamber of commerce is to make it possible for every citizen to take a pride in his community, in its prosperity, in honors which come to its citizens, and in all that makes it greater and bigger. The chamber of commerce is a clearing house for community thought and action. It is a necessary force in the growth and development of any community. We all cannot think alike or agree upon what is perhaps most necessary for the community. Life, after all, is a matter of give and take, and the main thing is to pull together in the same direction and at the same time. The chamber of commerce offers an opportunity for unselfish service for the community good.

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That is rather a remarkable contrivance for removing dirt that has been set up west of the courthouse. It was not many years ago that excavation was carried on with a pick and shovel and the dirt was hauled away with teams. It is difficult to estimate just how long it would take under the old method of operation to move all the dirt that is necessary to be removed in the construction of the new courthouse. Modern methods and up-toldate machinery are working wonders these days.

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A number of the high school students suggested that the chamber of commerce might remove the bumps from the Talmage bridge. Undoubtedly, the highway commission will get around to it some day, but when something is needed to be done, is it not always best to do it immediately?

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There was a wonderful gathering on Monday night at the organization of the Ukiah male chorus. I understand that the response was most gratifying to Mr. Harvey, the director. This organization will offer an excellent opportunity for vocal training to the boys and men. Mr. Harvey is another of our progressive citizens who generously gives of his time and talents for the community welfare. Such people are more valuable to the community than much fine gold.

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One of the high school students objected to the operation of a commercial chicken business in the city limits. There are very few of us who have not been disturbed at one time or another by our neighbor's chickens. It is a difficult problem to solve without a rigid ordinance with strict enforcement of it. And perhaps there is no great reason why we should not have such an ordinance.

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A city, like a man, has a desire to grow and achieve something. And the only way to achieve anything worth while is to have a definite program. There must be a cooperative program of accomplishment. The shot must not be scattered, but concentrated in a few places that are vital. Concentration of energy results in effectiveness. We need imagination to see the great objectives and concentrated energy to achieve them. There are no real handicaps for a bigger, cleaner and better Ukiah. Then let us decide on our objectives for 1928 and get on our way. Again, let me repeat, merely by way of suggestion, the following:

A complete sewer system.
One hundred per cent connection.
Sidewalks.
Curbs and gutters.
Some paving.
Considerable street oiling.

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"Mary had a little lamb,
One day she clipped its tresses,
And found she had sufficient wool
To make fifteen modern dresses."

ROUND VALLEY

COVELO, Jan. 19.—Friday the 13th made itself felt by chasing away the spring weather we had been enjoying and ushering in a rain "out of a clear sky." On Saturday, we experienced the still greater surprise of finding several inches of snow mantling all out of doors. The bright sunshine has taken away much of the snow, but most of that out of reach of the sun still remains. Nights have been the coldest of the season, reaching as low as 17 above zero.

J. B. Bellatti has received word from his son, Charles of San Jose, who last Sunday had the misfortune to suffer a compound fracture of the right leg, that he is doing nicely and resting easily. Mr. Bellatti returned from San Jose Friday, having gone down Tuesday in answer to a message informing him of the accident. Charles and a companion had been riding a motorcycle when they were hit by a Ford car. Both boys were injured, the other boy suffering a broken ankle.

Mrs. J. L. Dunlap and daughter, Iva, went to Berkeley Tuesday to spend the week with Mrs. Dunlap's mother, Mrs. Eva Cummins.

Word has been received here that Luther Morrison, who has been in Ukiah General hospital for the past seven weeks on account of an injured foot, that he will be able to come home next week. On January 5 he submitted to a skin grafting operation. This has now healed and the stitches have been removed, and Luther is on the road to rapid recovery. This is good news to his family and many frineds.

Last Frilay a matched game of basketball was held in the auditorium between the grammar school girls and the Reservation school girls. Victory went to the Indians 8 to 4.

Roger and Margaret Perkins went to San Francisco Saturday, returning Sunday, to have dental work done.

Mrs. Ida Hollingsworth is in San Francisco for medical treatment, having gone down last Thursday.

E. J. Woods of Willits, has been here this week in the interest of the Radiola radio sets. While here he is the guest of the Otto White family, Mrs. White and Mr. Woods being cousins.

Rev. H. P. Spiller, pastor of the Lakeport Baptist church, returned to his home Monday. While here to officiate at the funeral of Rev. H. E. Secor, Mr. Spiller held services at the Baptist church, both morning and evening. Rev. Spiller is well known in this locality, having assisted the pastor in a series of revival services at the Baptist church last fall.

J. I. Hurt went to San Francisco Wednesday to be with Mrs. Hurt, who is in the city taking treatments. Mr. and Mrs. Hurt had been in the bay region since before the holidays, until Mr. Hurt came back last week to attend the funeral of Rev. Secor.

Norman Scott Scudder has come to town—arriving January 4 to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Jared Scudder. The little gentleman weighed 10 pounds.

A news item of much interest escaped us last week when we were informed too late or publication of the marriage of Miss Ruby Brandt and Arlo Gravier. The happy event occurred at Ukiah on New Years day. They returned to Covelo the next day and will be at home for the present at the home of Mr. Gravier's mother. These young folks are both well and favorably known in the community, both members of prominent families and have a host of friends who wish for them a long and happy wedded life.

RAISES ORANGES HERE

Lawrence Saunders, well known postoffice clerk here, handed the Dispatch editor this week an orange grown on his ranch south of town.

The place lies up the hill from the highway the other side of the Burke hill and is in a warm belt. There has been little frost there this year and his oranges are ripening fast. The specimen of fruit given us was perfect, was well ripened and the equal of the standard pack sold in local markets.

POTTER VALLEY

POTTER VALLEY, Jan. 19.—Mrs. Mary Coble was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hughes in Ukiah last week.

Mrs. Ruth Howard, of Petaluma, spent the week end with relatives in this valley. Mrs. Howard was formerly Miss Duth Day and a resident of Potter.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Vann, Miss Eleanor Vann and Miss Frances Lawrence were Ukiah shoppers last Saturday.

Miss Vera Moore, who makes her home here with her sister, Mrs. Shurd Burris, is visiting this week at the home of her parents in Ukiah.

J. G. Hopper was a business visitor to Ukiah last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Ryder, of Ukiah, attended the Grange meeting held here last Saturday evening.

Albert Banks, of Ukiah, was a business visitor to the valley last Thursday.

George Busch, Sr., of San Jose, is visiting relatives in the valley and renewing old acquaintances.

The regular meeting of the P. T. A. was held last Friday afternoon in the library of the school. After the regular business session a short program and discussion was enjoyed. A fine new couch, mattress and blanket have been given to the school by the ladies of the P. T. A.

Dr. Basford, of Healdsburg, made a business trip to this valley last Saturday.

Harry Moncrieff drove to Ukiah Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pet Coble were in from their mountain home last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pitney and Mrs. Thomas Betterton, of Gravelly valley, passed through Potter Tuesday on their way to Ukiah.

Elmer Ford and family have moved into their new home on the Volney Van Dyke ranch.

Mrs. Della Neil, of Lower Potter, is visiting with Ukiah relatives this week.

In a hotly contested basketball game at Willits last Saturday night the boys of the local high school defeated the Willits high school boys by a score of 31 to 27. Those, besides the team who drove over to see the game included Misses Evangeline Hopper, Olive Whittaker, Blanche Shelton, and Messrs. Harold Whittaker, Alvin Adams and Earl Pickle.

Alvin Whittaker came in Wednesday from his San Hedrin ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Sack were among Potter valley shoppers to Ukiah Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Hopkins and son, Larea, drove to Ukiah on Tuesday. Larea is a member of the junior band in Ukiah and goes in every Tuesday afternoon to practice.

Mrs. Taylor Eddie and son, Don, were shopping in Ukiah on Saturday.

Mrs. Louis Hansen, who is convalescing in the Ukiah General hospital from an operation, is reported as progressing very nicely and hopes soon to be home once again.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Westerman, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Brush and Miss Helen Brush enjoyed a pleasant visit with friends in Willits last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Eddie drove to Ukiah Saturday to receive medical aid for Mr. Eddie, who suffered a strained back while working in his orchard a few weeks ago.

What might have been a serious accident for William Leard happened last Monday when the horse he was riding stumbled and rolled on him, severely bruising his hands and side.

FRATERNAL AFFAIRS

A most enjoyable Grange meeting was held last Saturday evening in the Grange hall. A large number of Grangers were present to enjoy the games, dancing and supper which followed the business session.

Watch Our Want Ad Column

REDWOOD VALLEY

REDWOOD VALLEY, Jan. 18.—Sam Pickle, with heavily loaded gravel truck, broke through the old wagon bridge north of Calpella last Friday. The bridge is being repaired this week, meanwhile travel is diverted over the new Calpella bridge and around the east side of the river. A number of trucks have been busy gravelling the stretch of road between Calpella and the bridge.

Dr. H. N. Fifer preached a masterly sermon Sunday night on "Regeneration." He will be with us again next Sunday night. Come and hear him at 7:30. He always has something good.

We experienced one of the coldest snaps for several years during the past week. On three successive mornings the mercury dropped to 20. Some valley residents report reading 16 above.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Ford and family and T. Jameson and son attended the Ukiah farm center meeting last Monday night.

The Grange is giving a card party at the local hall Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Carpenter, formerly local residents but now residing at Corning, are spending several weeks on their ranch here. Mr. Carpenter is clearing some land preparatory to setting out grapes.

L. Recetti and sons are busy pulling stumps on the Cordts place, which they recently acquired.

The Boy Scouts held their regular weekly meeting Wednesday night.

C. H. Smith is working with the pile driver crew of the highway on Ackerman creek.

FORMER RESIDENT HERE

Wilson K. Baily, former well known Ukiah boy, was here the latter part of last week from his home in Willits. Mr. Baily was looking after a plastering contract he has at the state hospital. He also has the contract for the new hospital at Willits.

TAKES POSITION WITH LOCAL REALTY FIRM

George Boring, who recently returned to his home here from a sea trip, has accepted a position with the realty firm of L. L. Hopkins.

COMMUNITY PROPERTY TO GO TO SURVIVING SPOUSE

Supreme Court Upholds Legality of Amendment Passed in 1923

SPEEDS ESTATE SETTLEMENTS

Two important decisions affecting the rights of widows and widowers under the California community property law were handed down this week by the state supreme court.

One decision unanimously upheld the provision of the 1923 amendment to the law which provides that the surviving wife or husband shall inherit all of the community property if the other dies without leaving a will. It also held that this section applied retroactively to all property owned at the time of death, regardless of when it was acquired.

The second decision denied the retroactivity of the clause permitting wife or husband to will away one-half of their community property unless it was acquired after the 1923 amendment went into effect.

Its more important consequences will be to speed up administration of estates throughout California, which have been delayed to await this official opinion of the high court.

The community property law, prior to 1923, directed that the widow should receive one-half the estate of an intestate husband, and that the remaining half should go to the children. In that year the legislature amended the statute, giving the widow all. The same situation applied to the husband if a wife died without leaving a will.

FINED $15.00

F. C. McCloskey, who ran a race with Tracic Ocicer Ciancio the latter part of last week, appeared in the justice court of Judge Hoffman Saturday and entered a plea of guilty to the charge of speeding preferred against him. He was fined $15 by the judge.

McCloskey "hit 'er up" for 47 miles, according to Ciancio's complaint.

VISITING IN OAKLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Holliday left the first of the week for Oakland, where they will visit for several weeks with their daughter, Mrs. Clarence Brown. Mrs. Brown came to Ukiah to drive their car down to the bay section.

UKIAH METHODIST CHURCH

L. C. BEASLEY, Pastor.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

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TAMALES

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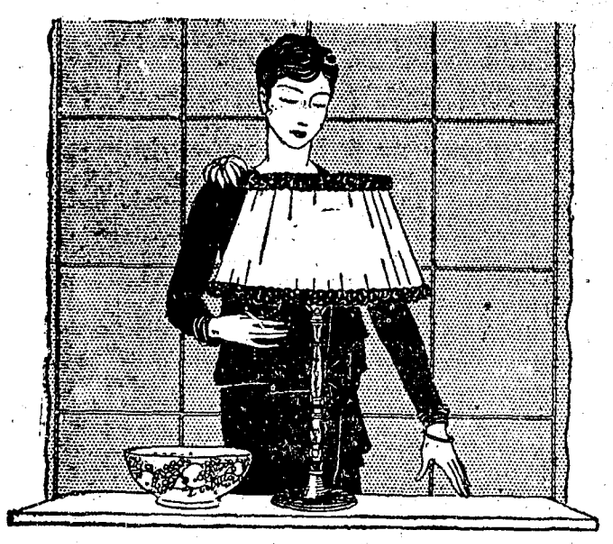
Walter H. and W. A. Moore were among the well known Willits people in town the first of the week.

J. H. Hellard, a game warden of Willits, was here on business the early part of the week.



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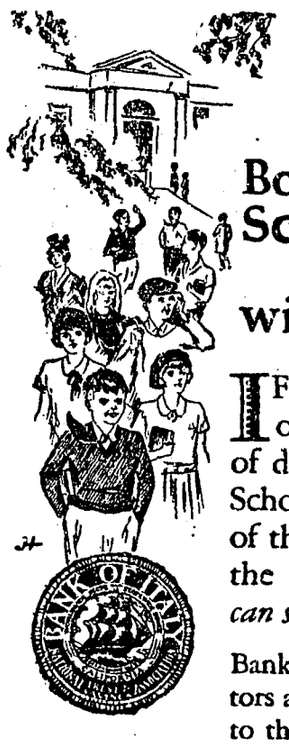

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102 NORTH SCHOOL STREET

Attention:

Dealers in School Supplies

In accordance with Chapter 219, Political Code of California, the County Superintendent of Schools of Mendocino County will arrange for mass purchasing and distributing of county school supplies to the elementary schools of the county. Dealers who desire to bid on this business are hereby requested so to indicate immediately to the County Superintendent of Schools, at his office in Ukiah.

Dealers so indicating will be sent copies of a list on which to bid. The items will be classified as to groups, and dealers will be required to bid on all the items in any one group.

The Board of Education of Mendocino County reserves the right to accept the lowest or best best, or to reject any or all bids.

The bids will be opened in the presence of the County Board of Education, in special session assembled, at 10:00 A. M., on January 28, 1928.

(Signed) F. D. PATTON,
County Supt. of Schools.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SUPERVISORS

The Board of Supervisors of Mendocino County met at 3:30 o'clock p. m. Monday, January 9, 1928 with the following members present: E. L. Williams, E. M. Ford, J. M. Rupe, Chas. R. Perkins, N. P. Howe; W. H. Prather, clerk by M. A. Carpenter, deputy clerk.

This being the first meeting of the year, the Board reorganized by electing Supervisor N. P. Howe chairman for the ensuing year. The chairman then appointed the auditing committee, as follows: E. L. Williams, chairman; E. M. Ford, J. M. Rupe, and Chas. R. Perkins, members.

Dr. S. L. Rea was reappointed county health officer, M. A. Carpenter was reappointed county purchasing agent and the Dispatch-Democrat was designated as the official newspaper.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as corrected by including therein the acceptance of the county tool house as finished and completed at Boonville as per plans and specifications.

The sum of $57,360.50 was transferred from the County General 1927 fund to the following funds, in the following amounts: To County General No. 1. 1927 fund, $8,044.41; to Co. General No. 2, $9,890.80; to Co. General No. 3, $12,720.31; to Co. General No. 4, $19,038.83; to Co. General No. 5, $7,666.15.

The Board adjourned to and reconvened at 9:30 o'clock a. m. January 10, 1928 with all members, except E. L. Williams, and above mentioned clerk present.

The matter of the consummation of the purchase of real property in Old Hopland, by the County of Mendocino, was continued to 1:30 o'clock p. m. of this day.

Final payment was ordered made by Mendocino County to E. A. Holmes and E. L. Titus for the construction of Mallo Pass bridge in District No. 5.

Final payment, by Mendocino County, to F. H. Perkins for the construction of Noyo river bridge in District No. 4, was ordered made and the cash bond of said F. H. Perkins, on said contract, was ordered returned to F. H. Perkins.

The Board then adjourned to, and reconvened at 1:30 o'clock p. m. of this day with all members and deputy clerk present.

No one appearing to object to the purchase, by Mendocino County, of a lot in Old Hopland for the storage thereon of county property, the said lot was ordered purchased from Fred S. Howell et al for the sum of $400.00 and a deed from the owners of said property to Mendocino County was accepted and ordered recorded.

The report of the viewers on Woods road in Redwood Valley was filed, and there being no non consenting land owners, said report was approved and said road declared a public highway.

The report of the viewers on Orchard Ave. at the eastern boundary of the City of Ukiah, came on for hearing and non consenting land owners appeared with counsel at said hearing. At the request of M. H. Iversen, counsel for Emma and May Redsmeyer, non consenting land owners, said hearing was continued to 2 o'clock p. m. of February 14, 1928 and all non consenting land owners were notified of said continuance.

Supervisor E. L. Williams was authorized to sell, at private sale, an old Ford automobile chassis, property of the County of Mendocino no longer required for public use.

The following reports were accepted and placed on file: Predatory animal control, horticultural commissioner, steward county farm and hospital, matron county detention home and county nurse, said reports being for the month of December, 1927.

A resolution was adopted by this Board endorsing the application of Golden Gate Ferry Co. for a franchise to install direct service from San Francisco to Pt. San Quentin, and requesting the Board of Supervisors of San Francisco to grant the franchise and the State Railroad Commission to grant a certificate of public convenience and necessity, to order the clerk of this Board to forward certified copies of this resolution to the said Board of Supervisors and Railroad Commission and the chairman and clerk of this Board were authorized and directed to sign said resolution on behalf of Mendocino County.

By a four-fifths vote of the Board, claim bearing clerk's number 2,-229½, for the repair and maintenance of the existing roads of the 5th road district, was ordered paid out of the County General No. 5, 1927 fund.

C. B. Huestis was granted a county allowance of $20 per month, cash, beginning January 1, 1928.

The necessary claims against Mendocino County were allowed, as shown by the allowance book for January 10, 1928.

The Board then adjourned to, and reconvened at 10:00 o'clock a. m., January 11, 1928 with all members, except E. L. Williams, and deputy clerk, present.

A petition having been received for county aid for Hanna Leppa of Fort Bragg, a county allowance of $10.00 per month, cash, was granted said Hannah Leppa to begin January 1, 1928.

The returns from the school election held at Leggett Valley school house on January 6, 1928, to determine whether said Leggett Valley School District shall be excluded from Mendocino Union High School District and annexed to Fort Bragg Union High School District, were received and the Board found the vote was 9 yes and 5 no, and thereupon declared the proposition lost, not having received a sufficient number of affirmative votes to meet the requirements of law.

Erroneous assessments and sales of property of Raymond Walker and John C. Owen were cancelled, and the chairman of this Board was authorized and directed to sign the orders for said cancellations, on behalf of Mendocino County.

This Board of Supervisors accepted the Mendocino Pass Road, Covelo-Low Gap section, contingent upon the objectionable 5 posts in Tramp creek bridge being replaced by suitable posts by the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads during its two-year term of maintenance, without cost to Mendocino County; and the clerk of this Board was directed to forward certified copies of the above order to U. S. Bureau of Public Roads and District Forester.

Four hundred trial jurors for the trial of cases in the superior court of Mendocino County, as required by the order of the superior judge of said court, were selected for the ensuing year or until another list shall be selected.

The Board then adjourned.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

Christian Science services are held at 204 South Oak street every Sunday. Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Lesson sermon at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening testimony meeting at 8:00 p. m. All are welcome.

Reading room at the same place open from 2 to 4 p. m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

The subject for next Sunday is "Truth."

Dana Gray, of Fort Bragg, was among the prominent coast residents in Ukiah the latter part of last week.

Judge Q. H. Johnson, city recorder of Fort Bragg, was in town on business the latter part of last week.

For Electrical Wiring, see Cox-Thurston Hardware Co. 44-tf

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17 1-2c
HART BRAND
TELEPHONE
(A Treat)
20c
WELLMAN'S
TINY
22 1-2c

Pineapple
LARGE CANS
MATCHED SLICES
19c
LARGE CANS
STANDARD SLICED
23c
CRUSHED PINEAPPLE
NO. 1 FLAT CRUSHED
10c

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SALTED SODAS
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19c
PEACHES—F. F. C. 2½'s
19c
PEACHES—DEL MONTE 2's
15c
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Sugar Cured Delicious
Lb. 19c

HAMS
VIRDEN'S
Lb. 25c

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SOUR OR SWEET
Quart Jars
35c

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79c

Tomatoes
LARGE CANS
Dozen
$1.40

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Social and Club Notes

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Social Affairs

BRIDGE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Boring entertained at bridge Thursday evening at their home on State street. The home was festooned for the party in pink and green. A large pink central decoration piece completed the scheme. The supper tables were decorated with pink candles in pink rose holders.

The guests who played bridge were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pioda, Dr. and Mrs. Donald R. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Redwine, Dr. and Mrs. S. L. Rea, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Eversole, Mr. and Mrs. William Bromley, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hofman, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Lilburn Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bernhard, Mr. and Mrs M. J. Sullivan.

The prizes in the bridge game were won by Frank Wilson, William Bromley and Keith Eversole for the men, and Mrs. E. W. Stephens, Mrs. Louis Hofman, Mrs. Keith Eversole for the women. Following supper dancing was enjoyed and a game played in which C. A. Bernhard was the prize winner.

This bridge party was one of a series of three parties planned by the hostess.

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"GRANDMA" DUNCAN AND MRS. GLAZIER HONORED GUESTS

The regular meeting of the Federated Women was made the occasion this week for honoring two of the older members. Mrs. Martha Glazier has just passed her 84th year and "Grandma" Duncan, the 88th year. A very beautiful birthday celebration was arranged for the two honored guests.

Both Mrs. Glazier and "Grandma" Duncan talked to the group of fifty women, giving reminiscences of the early days of the organization and other interesting facts. Mrs. Glazier recited a poem of five or six stanzas which for many years has been written in her bible.

"Grandma" Duncan is one of the charter members of the society which honored her on Thursday. For many years she was an active worker in the group. For half a century, Mrs. Duncan had charge of the infant class in the Methodist Sunday school, teaching in some instances the grandchildren of her first pupils.

For some years, Mrs. Glazier taught at the Indian school north of town. She too has been an active worker in the church organizations.

During the afternoon, Mrs. Robherd Thomas contributed two piano numbers and Mrs. J. H. Hansen gave a group of songs The supper tables were beautifully decorated with red carnations and red crepe paper. There were two big birthday cakes, one with pink candles and one with red.

On behalf of the organization, the guests of honor were presented with bouquets of red carnations. The presentation was made by Mrs. Hale McCowen with beautifully expressed sentiments. Mrs. McCowen has known both women for many years.

The officers of the organization were the hostesses of the afternoon. Mrs. Frank Toles is president of this group which was proud to have with them and to pay homage to these two women.

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WEEK END TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. A. Sisk made a trip to Susanville over the last week end. They drove to Sacramento, taking the train there on account of the heavy snows in the mountain passes. Susanville is the former home of the Sisks.

The week end before this Mr. and Mrs. Sisk and their daughters, Edith and Myrtle, went to San Francisco to see the Russian play, "Chauve Souris."

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TRIP SOUTH

Cards from Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eversole tell of an enjoyable trip they are taking as far south as Imperial valley. They left Ukiah January 10, visited a short time with the Gustafsons in Oakland and then drove south. They have travelled through snow a number of times. Mr. and Mrs. Eversole expect to be back in San Francisco some time during the coming week.

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MONTHLY MEETING

The members of the faculty of Ukiah grammar school held their monthly meeting this week at the new home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Anderson. Miss Grace Toles and Miss Alva Cornelius formed a committee on the program and refreshments. A most interesting session was the result.

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Mrs. George Jamison and her daughter, Mrs. Alfred Pioda, went to San Francisco Monday, returning Wednesday.

"AUCTION BRIDGE" TAUGHT BY EXPERT

Mrs. Arthur McCray, of Cloverdale, will conduct classes in "auction bridge" beginning Monday, January 23 to January 27, inclusive, in the dining room of the Cecille hotel.

Mrs. McCray is a pupil of Milton C. Work, internationally known and acknowledged as the greatest authority and expert of this most fascinating game.

While here on the Pacific coast, Mr. Work gave a series of five lessons—explanations and demonstration hands—and it is this course of instruction that Mrs. McCray will present.

Ukiah is a card playing community and this is the first time that the opportunity has been offered for expert instruction. The social set of this town depends largely on the game of bridge for social diversion and the privilege of improving the quality of game played is being grasped with pleasure by bridge enthusiasts. The series of lessons at the Cecille will be the leading social event of the coming week.

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ON A VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Volney Seawell are making a visit of ten days with Mrs. Lucy Seawell and Mrs. M. J. Elledge in this city. They have many friends here who are sharing the pleasure of their visit with Mrs. Seawell and Mrs. Elledge. Mr. and Mrs. Seawell will leave for their home in Covina Tuesday of the coming week.

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Club Notes

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

Mrs. T. A. Templeton read a very beautiful paper before Cultus club at the birthday gathering, giving the organization, aims and history of the club.

The opening sentences of the paper were as follows:

"Birthday Greetings to All."
'From the rose of yester year
Petals have been dropping one by one.
Shall we gather them together
To make a rose again?'

Cultus club was formally organized thirty-two years ago. It is the senior club of this community. The purpose of the club was "mental relaxation and occasional release from the routine of home and various life's duties." * * * "With the initiative of the Air Eagle their minds sought the uplift of space beyond the confines of any one environment." * * * Some of the ideals of this study club are "definite aims; mental contact; social cooperation and literary research. Up to this minute these outstanding aims have continued to be the urge and incentive of scenes and more of successful programs of decided merit."

Among the charter members of the club whose names are well known are: Mrs. Isabel Carothers, Mrs. Harriet Weldon, Mrs. Julia E. Cannon, Mrs. Valma Eversole, Mrs. Mary E. P. McCowan, Mrs. Sallie Thomas, Miss Carrie Ganter, Mrs. Louise White, Mrs. Laura Wyckoff, Mrs. James Cooper, Mrs. Mary B. Templeton.

In closing Mrs. Templeton said: "On this birthday festival may we just for a moment draw within the charmed circle the memory of all past presidents and honorary members. For—always and within uplifted hands hold a phantom challis and touch the lips to the sweet nectar from the Flower of Service garnered and guarded in the garden of other years. And for the birthdays a-coming may the Cultus club grow unceasingly, and each new grain of thought be packed like radium with whole worlds of light."

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KOSMOS CLUB

Mrs. S. D. Crabbe gave an excellent paper before Kosmos club at the last meeting. The subject of the paper was the outstanding features of current events for the past year. The meeting was held in the new clubhouse with Mrs. Ernest Redemeyer and Mrs. Fred Scholl as hostesses.

A meeting of the advisory board of the club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Wilson to complete the making up or programs for the club.

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PRESENT COMEDY

"The Pot Boiler," a one-act comedy, will be presented by the dramatic section of the Saturday Afternoon club, Friday, February 3, at the clubhouse. All the parts in the comedy will be taken by women. The setting is a rehearsal of a play. In the cast are Mrs. Hazel Waldteufel, Miss Evelyn Dalton, Miss Nell Conrad, Mrs. H. L. Preston, Mrs. T. C. Maguire, Mrs. T. C. Preston, Mrs. Ernest Hawn. Mrs. C. A. Bernhard is chairman of the dramatic section of the club.

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HEALTH TALK

The members of the Camp Fire groups gathered at the school Tuesday afternoon and Dr. Donald R. Smith, superintendent of Mendocino State hospital, gave the young women a health talk. Wednesday night a score of Camp Fire girls went to the state hospital, where they were given instruction in bandaging and first aid by the nurses on the hospital staff.

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GUEST NIGHT

Invitations have been sent out for Cultus club guest night which will be held in Saturday Afternoon club rooms, Tuesday evening, January 24. The members of Saturday Afternoon club have been invited in a body. Each member of Cultus club has the privilege of three guests. The club is not announcing in advance the program to be given on Guest Night.

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FOUNDERS' DAY

Founders' day will be observed in the local P. T. A. on February 7. A special program is being prepared for the afternoon and a good attendance of members is expected.

Under the direction of the board of directors, P. T. A. is putting on a membership drive. The town has been districted and will be canvassed.

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SEWING CLUB

Mrs. R. D. Foote entertained the members of A. J. sewing club at her home Thursday afternoon. A dainty supper followed an afternoon of sewing. The members include Mrs. George Jamison, Mrs. Alfred Pioda, Mrs. Keith Eversole, Mrs. E. A. Eversole, Mrs. George Ward, Mrs. K. N. Hengeveld, Mrs. M. E. Fuller, Mrs. R. D. Foote.

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ROTARIANS VISIT

More than a score of local Rotarians will go to Lakeport tonight to attend the dinner and dance arranged by that club for ladies' night. A cordial invitation has been extended to the local club to attend and a large number are accepting the invitation.

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W. C. T. U. MEETING

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Friday of next week at the home of Mrs T. B. Moore on Clara avenue. Mrs. Lettie Forbes and Mrs. L. T. Curry are coming over from Lake county for the meeting. Mrs. Forbes is president of the bi-county union and Mrs. Curry is publicity chairman.

The Victory day anniversary observed last Sunday night at the Methodist church, under the auspices of the local union, was well attended. Rev. L. C. Beasley made the address of the evening. Special music had been arranged. A male quartet contributed numbers. H. T. Harvey was the vocal soloist; Miss Isabel Fitch played a violin solo, accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Ryder.

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OFFICERS REELECTED

H. E. Dewey was reelected president of Ukiah farm bureau at the meeting this week. Mrs. A. Sisk was also reelected secretary and treasurer.

Charles Mannon spoke on "County Government and Future Road System." Vincent Giorno contributed songs. A membership campaign is being put on by the bureau.

Lodge News

DISTRICT DEPUTY ON OFFICIAL VISIT

Miss Pearl Davidson of Upper Lake, deputy grand matron of Eastern Star, made an official visit to the local chapter last Monday night. The work of the chapter was inspected in the presence of 100 members od more.

Following the inspection work the choral section of Saturday Aternoon club rendered a group of numbers which were beautifully given and well received.

The banquet hall was most artistically decorated in pink and green with bowls of narcissus for the flowers. The refreshment service was exceptionally delicious. There were toasts responded to at the supper table and a guessing contest was carried out.

The worthy matron, Mrs. Vevoda, presented the guest of honor, in behalf of the chapter, with a beautiful week-end bag.

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OFFICERS INSTALLED

The installation of Royal Arch Masons held this week was preceded by a 6:30 supper for the members. Fred C. Handy acted as installing officer and the officers were presented by Past High Priest Fred Waugh.

The following officers were installed: E. H. P., Walter Sandelin; King, Fred W. Dart; Scribe, Walter Brown; P. S., C. M. Mannon; C. H., William Bromley; R. A. C., Irving Brazier; 3rd V., Elmer Haskins; 2nd V., J. L. McCracken; 1st V., John Finne; sentinel, Alex Kauhanen; treasurer, F. T. Barker; secretary, J. R. Elder.

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REGULAR MEETING

The regular meeting of the Auxiliary to the American Legion met Wednesday evening at the home of the president, Mrs. Ardis DeMotte. A committee was appointed to prepare for initiation at the last meeting in February. Mrs. Elsie Nystrom is chairman of this committee and other members are Mrs. Bess Eversole, Mrs. Carrie Van Voast. Mrs. Elva Williams.

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CLASS INITIATION

The Order of Eagles initiated a class of seven or eight candidates at the regular meeting this week. The business session was followed by supper.

Church Notes

MONTHLY SUPPER

The regular monthly supper in the Presbyterian church will be held Wednesday evening. January 25, in the church parlors. The suppers are informal and are attended by the members of the church and congregation.

Dr. Henry M. Campbell, field director of men's work on the coast, will be the speaker of the evening. Dr. Campbell has been in Ukiah in the Presbyterian pulpit on a number of occasions and his visit as speaker at the supper is anticipated with pleasure.

Miss Esther Redwine is chairman of the committee preparing the supper.

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SANTA ROSA GUESTS

The Men's Brotherhood of the Santa Rosa Methodist church was a guest of the Men's club of the local church at dinner Tuesday evening. The Santa Rosa men presented the program, consisting of music and talks. A score of men drove up from Santa Rosa for the dinner and two score more local men attended the affair. William Bennyhoff was chairman of the evening. The quartet of the Santa Rosa club rendered a group of selections and several solos were contributed. Judge M. T. Vaughan and N. E. Gibbs of Santa Rosa addressed the men.

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WOMEN'S WORK

Mrs. Frank Toles, Mrs. Keith Eversole, Mrs. Louis Charlton and Mrs. L. C. Beasley went to Petaluma Tuesday to attend a district meeting of the women leaders of the Methodist church. Interesting and instructive speakers on women's work in the church were on the program both morning and afternoon. Luncheon was served by the Petaluma church women.

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ATHLETIC WORK

The athletic work in the Methodist social hall has met with excellent response. Every time the hall has been opened for athletic activities there has been a large class in attendance. Last evening more than a score of young business women responded to the invitation and used the athletic privileges offered. The work is carried on under supervision of a responsible committee.

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CHOIR SUPPER

Mrs. J. L. McCracken assisted by Mrs. William Collier, entertained members of the choir of the Christian church at supper Thursday evening. The tables were arranged in the church parlors and twenty guests were entertained. Mrs. McCracken is president of the choir.

"Auction Bridge"

Mrs. Arthur McCray, of Cloverdale, will conduct a series of five lessons in auction bridge at the Hotel Cecille beginning Monday, January 23 to Friday, January 27, at 2:30 p. m.; also from 7:30 p. m. to 8:30 p. m. for the benefit of the ladies and gentlemen not able to come in the afternoons. Price of series, $3.00; single lessons, $1.00 per person. Anyone wishing private instruction may avail themselves of this opportunity while Mrs. McCray is in town. Private lessons $1.50 per person per hour for table of four. Mrs. McCray is a pupil of MR. MILTON C. WORK. For further information call 317-J. 1tc

Social Affairs

BRIDGE HOSTESSES

Mrs. Leonard Singley and Mrs. Volney Van Dyke were hostesses at bridge Thursday afternoon at the Van Dyke home. A score of guests were received and spent the afternoon at the bridge tables. The hostesses used pink carnations in making the home festive for the guests. When the scores were counted Mrs. E. S. Masters and Mrs. H. L. Preston were the highest.

Those who enjoyed the afternoon as guests of Mrs. Singley and Mrs. Van Dyke were Mrs. Ernest Hawn, Mrs. Floyd Banker, Mrs. H. L. Preston, Mrs. Wesley Ford, Mrs. S. L. Rea, Mrs. W. A. Thornton, Mrs. Earl Cox, Mrs. Jack Smith, Mrs. Louis Hofman, Mrs. Taylor McGarvey, Mrs. D. R. Smith, Mrs. M. H. Iversen, Mrs. A. H. Martin, Mrs. Victor McGarvey, Mrs. Mary Souder, Mrs. Frank Cunningham, Mrs. H. E. Davis, Mrs. Robert McGarvey, Mrs. E. S. Masters, Mrs. Earl Ford.

Mrs. Singley and Mrs. Van Dyke are sisters.

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SUCCESSFUL PARTY

The Catholic ladies held a most successful card party Wednesday evening at St. Mary's hall. Twenty-eight tables were arranged for bridge and whist. In the bridge game Mrs. F. E. Rea and Mrs. Arthur McCray won the prizes for the women and Jack Montgomery and Jack Smith for the men. Mrs. Andrew Gibson and Victor Hildreth held the high scores in the whist game.

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CLUB CARD PARTY

Thursday evening of the coming week Saturday Afternoon club is giving a card party in the clubhouse. Mrs. R. D. Foote has charge of the arrangements for the party and is planning supper following the game. Reservations hsould be made with Mrs. W. D. L. Held.

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FORTNIGHTLY BRIDGE

Fortnightly bridge club was entertained this week by Mrs. F. E. Gilmore. Mrs. S. L. Rea and Mrs. E. S. Masters substituted for absent members. Mrs. Masters won the club prize for the afternoon.

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SUPERIOR COURT NOTES

People vs. Chrysler six roadster—Judgment that mortgage is not a valid lien. Car condemned and ordered sold.

Josephine Szanik vs. Eugene Szanik—Custody of minor children awarded plaintiff until further order of court. Defendant not to interfere with said children.

Estate of Charles Johnson, deceased—Return of sale of personal property, fixtures in coffee parlor, for $200 confirmed.

Estate of Rockwell McMullen, deceased—Account allowed, approved and settled. Petition for revocation of special letters dismissed. Will contest set for January 27.

Ben Horr vs. Wm. Steward et al—Decree that land be sold by G. E. Redwine, court commissioner, and mortgage of Mrs. Laulhe be paid, that expenses of action and of sale be paid and balance divided.

Wolpert vs. Gripton—Findings amended and signed.

State of California vs. Central Mendocino Co. Power Co.—Witnesses examined. Defendant allowed 10 days to file brief and plaintiff 5 days to reply. Case continued to February 3.

Elsie Towle vs. G. V. Towle—Final decree of divorce.

Swales vs. Redwine—Proposed bill of exceptions permitted to be withdrawn.

The following proceedings were had yesterday:

W. F. Kemppe vs. Fred Windlinx et al—Trial set for February 27.

Henrietta Berry vs. Claude Frazer and Robert Ross—Trial set for March 26.

Edith Patton vs. Orville Patton—Set for February 23.

Guardianship of Julia Huffaker—Eighth account allowed, approved and settled. Attorney allowed $25 and guardian $25.

Estate of Thomas S. Towle, deceased—Mary Ann Towle appointed administratrix. Bond $200.

Estate of Fred Weiss, deceased—John Leishman sworn and examined. J. A. Nelson sworn and examined. M. A. Nolan sworn and examined. J. A. Nelson and M A Nolan appointed executors without bond: J. W. Kingren appointed sole appraiser.

Estate of J. T. Prather, deceased—Kate B. Prather appointed administratrix. Bond $3700. J. W. Kingren appointed sole appraiser.

Estate of Sarah A. Dartt, deceased—Final account allowed, approved and settled. Final discharge of administrator.

Henry Rayes examined for insanity and sent to state hospital.

Guardianship of Augustine R. Sprague—Action dismissed.

Petition of Robert G. Smith to terminate homestead—Decree no inheritance tax is due.

Sauer vs. Hill—Jury waived by both parties.

Guardianship of Karvonen minors—Charles Mannon appointed sole appraiser.

Estate of James Ward, deceased—Liberty bonds authorized to be sold at not less than market value.

Estate of Gimi Deghi, deceased—Decree no inheritance tax is due.

Estate of Mary Jane McPeak, deceased—J. W. Kingren appointed as appraiser.

Shelton vs. Shelton—Order for publication of summons.

Weeks vs. Rawles—Defendant given decree quieting title as prayed for.

Estate of John W. Adams, deceased—Final account allowed, approved and settled and distribution granted in accordance with terms of will.

Estate of Anthony Gilbert, deceased—Final account allowed, approved and settled and distribution ordered. Administrator discharged.

Guardianship of Raymond Copsey, incompetent—Fifth account allowed, approved and settled. Attorney allowed $25.

Guardianship of George Payne Nickerson—Fifth account of guardian allowed, approved and settled. Attorney allowed $25 and guardian $25. Attorney for estate ordered to collect the interest on the Weldon note forthwith.

Estate of Albert Adams, incompetent—Second and final account of guardian allowed, approved and settled. Estate ordered turned over to F. F. Adams, administrator of estate of Albert Adams, deceased.

Estate of Jacob Wattenberger, deceased—Fifth and final account allowed, approved and settled and final distribution ordered as prayed for. Administrator allowed $769 as extraordinary compensation.

Matter of Mae H. Miller, alleged feeble-minded person — Dropped from calendar.

Estate of Nellie Smith James, deceased—Final account allowed, approved and settled and final distribution granted as prayed for.

Mrs. G. H. Wyckoc, of Calpella, was a Ukiah visitor Thursday.

George Vevoda was a visitor to Boonville on business last Wednesday.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—First crop loose alfalfa hay. Herman Laukere, phone 27F4, or R. F. D. No. 2, Box 616. 17-3tp

MISS HELEN THOMAS APPOINTED ORGANIST

Miss Helen Thomas, daughter of Attorney J. R. Thomas of this city, has been named to the position of organist at the State theatre. The position, a much coveted one, was won by Miss Thomas on account of merit alone, and her selection will be hailed with pleasure by her many friends here and will add immeasureably to the popularity of the State.

Miss Thomas has been taking lessons in caring for the organ and in making minor adjustments under Mel Hertz, an employee of Mr. Mann at Eureka, considered one of the best pipe organists in California. She will take charge of the organ at the State when the work of installation, now in progress, has been completed.

UPPER LAKE MAN BURNED TO DEATH IN EXPLOSION

When a gasoline stove exploded yesterday morning shortly after 9 o'clock in the tank house on his ranch, Ed Moull, farmer of the Upper Lake section residing at the foot of Bartlett Mountain in Clover valley, received burns that caused terrible suffering before death relieved him of pain last evening about 6:30. Nearly every inch of the unfortunate man's body was badly seared, his hair and most of his clothing were burned off.

The tank house was burned to the ground.—Lakeport Bee.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ANSWER QUESTIONAIRE

Queries Put by Chamber of Commerce Bring Good Suggestions

That Ukiah high school students think constructively and have definite ideas in regard to community progress is shown by the answers to a questionaire submitted to them by the chamber of commerce this week.

One of the questions submitted was the following: "As a future citizen, what would you suggest the chamber of commerce should undertake for the improvement of Ukiah and vicinity?"

Fifty-nine freshmen, 43 sophomores, 46 juniors, 40 seniors and three unclassified, a total of 191 students, answered as follows:

Sixty-two—more paved streets; 52—new high school; 44—more and better street lights; 27—complete sewer system; 27—new depot; 23—bring in new industries; 23—improve business district in appearance; 19—build a community club; 18—more paved sidewalks; 17—public swimming pool; 17—remove old buildings and fences; 15—secure aviation field; 14—clean up and beautify city; 11—tear down old grammar school; 10—more and better amusements; develop public spirit; traffic law enforcement; more playgrounds; new Talmage bridge; new gas plant; clean streets; lumber mill; a night school; a junior school; a chamber of commerce building.

To the question, "After completing your education, do you expect to live and work in Ukiah and vicinity?," 39 answered yes, 102 no and 50 were undecided.

RESOLUTIONS

WHEREAS, the Hopland Parent Teachers' Association has lost a beloved member and the community an esteemed citizen in the passing of Mrs. Mary Harvey.

BE IT RESOLVED: That we the Hopland Parent Teachers' Association, in commemoration of the assistance she has rendered this organization and with commendation for the example she set the community in caring for the sick, hereby express sincere sorrow and deepest regret that Mrs. Mary Harvey has been taken from us. And

BE IT RESOLVED: That a copy of these resolutions be permanently filed with the secretary's minutes, that a copy be sent to the local high school paper, copy to the Ukiah Press and a copy to the Ukiah Dispatch.

Signed: Mrs. E. A. Thatcher,
Mrs. Jennie A. Duncan,
Committee.

Unanimously adopted by the Hopland Parent Teachers' Association January 14, 1928.

LOCALS

J. C. Duffield, of Willits, was a Ukiah visitor last Monday.

J. H. Sawyers was in town from Willits last Monday.

M. N. James, of Little Lake valley, was a Ukiah visitor the early part of the week.

Supervisor J. M. Rupe and son, Floyd, of Willits, were in town the first of the week.

Wm. Muir, well known Willits resident, was in Ukiah on business last Monday.

Edward Morris, superintendent of the Willits Water company, was in town the first of the week.

John C. Spencer and E. F. Macklin came down from Willits in connection with the trial of the case of the fish and game commission against the Willits water company the early part of the week.

Walter, John and Andrew Gschwend, of Christine, were among the well known citizens in town on business Wednesday.

NEW CASES AND NOTES FROM CLERK'S OFFICE

DIGEST OF COURT BUSINESS

Through Casper A. Ornbaun, May B. McGimsey has filed a petition for admission to probate of the will of the late J. L. McGimsey. The estate consists of real and personal property valued at over $10,000.

A petition for letters of administration has been filed by Deborah Peelle on the estate of Albert Fletcher, deceased. The estate consists of real property valued at $500.

A complaint has been filed by M. G. Sturtevant against J. S. Hunter and others seeking to recover $780 alleged to be due for 195 dozen crabs alleged to have geen siezed unlawfully by the defendants.

Through Lilburn Gibson a complaint in confiscation has been filed against a Buick sedan car alleged to have been used in transporting liquor.

Through John L. McNab, Henry T. Hopper has filed a petition for probate of the will of the late Mary F. Hopper. The estate consists of real and personal property valued at more than $10,000.

Through Frank W. Taft, Ida Pritchett has filed a petition for letters on the estate of Gil S. Pritchett, deceased. The estate is valued at $2000 and consists of personal property.

Through J. W. Kingren, W. F. Ornbaun has filed a petition for letters on the estate of Jefferson Graham, deceased. The estate consists of an interest in real property, which interest is valued at $100.

Inventory has been filed in the James Ward estate, showing real and personal property valued at $13,421.98.

Inventory has been filed in the Gimi Deghi estate, showing real and personal property valued at $16,216.

Second and final account and report and petition for distribution have been filed in the Charles Guidi estate. The account shows real property valued at $3500 and disbursements advanced by the administratrix to more than $6000.

Inventory has been filed in the William Duncan estate showing real and personal property valued at $46,261.49.

AVIATION FIELD TO BE ESTABLISHED NEAR COVELO

COVELO, Jan. 19.—Covelo is soon to be on the air map of California!

This interesting piece of news was divulged by J. S. Rohrbough on his return from a recent trip to San Francisco, where he was the guest of his son-in-law, Dr. R. F. Carfangi.

Dr. Carfagni took his guest out to the city's airport. An official was showing them the official map of the airports of the state.

"Where is Covelo?" inquired our genial first citizen.

"Never heard of it," was the laconic reply.

Then and there Mr. Rohrbough, ably seconded by his son-in-law, expounded like Demosthenes of old with such clarity and convictions concerning our natural landing field which served the forest service efficiently through a season of air patrol, and has likewise been used satisfactorily by a number of commercial aviators, that the official responded with "Send me a map and data, Covelo shall be listed on the map of the airports of the state."

Steps will probably be taken at once to secure title to this perfect natural landing field and equip with the necessary paraphernalia for efficient service by day and by night. No better airport is to be found in the northern part of the state. Commercial airlines between San Francisco and the north are certainties in the immediate future. Covelo sees her opportunity to become a part of this great enterprise.

G. M. Biggar is in communication with the Indian Department relative to purchasing the property for the community.

SEVENTY-FIVE VOICES

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Page, Billy Bertsch, Paul Hansen, Harold Bertsch, Verrell Baily, Harold Fulkerson, Billy Martensen, Donald Parker, Willard Stephens, Donald Bonnifield, Emile Waldteufel, Edw. Montgomery, Charles Williams, Harry Hornbrook, Frank Stephens, Paul Mayse, Jack Harvey, Donald Dutton, Merlyn Ganter, Harry Kilts, Winfred Church, Arthur Church, Donald Weger, Myron Brazier, Leu Laurance, Albert Ganter, Delbert Allen, Ernest C. Pauli, Oliver Lawrence, Harley Freeman, Jack Giles, Conrad Kruse, C. D. Todhunter, Alva C. Ingram, Thomas Ford, William D. Ford, F. W. Dart, E. W. Dutton, W. H. L. Morgan, George David, E. W. Stephens, Chas. Luce, R. L. Romer, O. R. Archer, C. A. Hitchcock, L. S. Nevins, F. J. Parker, Gayle Lawrence, H. Johnston, Chas. Moffitt, E. C. Purdy, T. J. Goudge, James Castile, Irving M. Brazier, Francis M. Sanford, L. C. Greenland, A. Sanchez, Harry A. Hilts, Sr., H. R. Pauli, P. D. Bergstrom, Neil Anker, John Wilson, E. G. Logan, Torrence Swindell, Dick Andrews, Martin Sloper, Hyman Swick.

SEEKS MORE COMPENSATION

UPPER LAKE, Jan. 19.—A hearing was conducted at Upper Lake yesterday by the State Industrial Accident Board regarding the petition of Mrs. Joe Martini, who is seeking greater compensation from the State because of the accidental death of her husband, which occurred at the W. W. Prather lumber mill on Elk mountain some months ago.

The referee conducting the meeting was Miss McGuire of San Francisco. Attorney Henry G. Sanford acted for the State and the Prather Lumber Company, while Attorney Kasch of Ukiah represented Mrs. Martini.

After testimony of several witnesses had been heard, the matter was continued for hearing at a later date in San Francisco.

DEATH OF MRS. ROBERSON

Died at her home in this city, Tuesday, January 17, Mrs. J. Roberson, aged 47 years and seven months.

Mrs. Roberson had been in very poor health for the past year but had only been confined to her bed for a few weeks

The deceased was a splendid woman from every standpoint and to know her was to love her. She was a loving and devoted wife and mother, a good neighbor and always willing and anxious to do everything in her power to make life brighter and better for all who she came in contact with.

Mrs. Roberson was the mother of one child, Lucy, who married Frank Mahan a few years ago.—Willits News.

PROCEEDINGS DROPPED IN ROCKWELL McMULLEN CASE

Contest proceedings instituted by heirs to break the will of the late Rockwell McMullen of Fort Bragg were dropped by attorneys for the heirs in the superior court here last Friday, when it appeared from the statement of John L. McNab, of San Francisco, attorney for the estate, that he was prepared to extend litigation in connection with the contest for twelve or fifteen years. McNab stated that he had three more wills in his safe, and would produce them one after another and fight the contest on each through to the highest courts. As it takes three or four years to dispose of a case when appealed in this way, M. H. Iversen, attorney for the contestants, stated that he did not believe he would live long enough to see the last of the litigation and confessed himself ready to capitulate.

A demand for an accounting had been filed by Alma McLeod, McMullens' housekeeper. She had been made a beneficiary of the will. George Golden, executor, who holds the estate in trust, rendered his accounting, showing that he had increased the assets by about $7,500.

The final result of the three-sided fight, it is stated, will be that Golden will purchase Miss McLeod's interest in the property and the estate will then be distributed in accordance with the terms of the will.

COUNTY FAIR PROJECTED FOR WILLITS NEXT FALL

WILLITS, Jan. 19.—Willits will hold a county fair next fall. The exact date has not been set but it will be either September or October. We do not wish to conflict with other fairs in adjoining counties, or cities, and we want to have our fair before it is too cold and wet. All of the farm bureau centers in this county will be consulted and asked to join with us. A splendid premium list will be provided for both live stock and agricultural products and there will be other attractions, mention of which will be made later.

Monday night a representative gathering of Willits business men and ranchers met at the W. I. club hall and discussed various matters concerning the coming fair. Two representatives of the Upper Lake Fair Association were here and told of their experience and gave some valuable information. They were W. G. Humason, manager, and Roy Bucknell, secretary.

It was decided to organize and L. M. McQuestion was elected president, J. J. Keller, vice-president, and C. A. Larson, secretary treasurer. A board of directors will be selected from representative farmers and businessmen to be announced later.

LOCALS

Mrs. Janet Lynch has been quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Bromley.

Charles O. Scott of Santa Rosa, district manager of A. A. A., was in Ukiah several days this week.

Miss Jane Poma and Miss Marguerite Murchio spent the last week end at Santa Rosa.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Gilmore have gone to Reedley for a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fair.

John Gschwend and Walter Gschwend, of Anderson valley, were in Ukiah Wednesday.

E. W. Hyden has sold his ranch in Sanel valley and will make his home in Ukiah. The Hyden home was in this city formerly.

Charles Barton and family, of Napa, have come to Ukiah to locate permanently.

WILLITS MAN KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT SATURDAY

WILLITS, Jan. 19.—Francis Harmon, better known as "Frank," was instantly killed in an automobile accident, about six miles north Willits on the state highway, last Saturday night. He was returning from Longvale and when he reached the second turn this side of Ryan creek instead of following the road he went over the grade. From appearances it looks as if the automobile must have rolled completely over several times and then landed in the bottom of the canyon

Two young boys were the first to discover the accident and they were attracted to it by the lights which were still burning. The engine was also still running. While they were making an investigation Hight Grove and John Desmet came along and they stopped to render assistance. Harmon was still bleeding from the mouth and they thought that there might be a chance to save him so they put him in their auto and rushed to town and took him to Dr. Bennett's office. The doctor made an examination and found that he had been dead for about half an hour.

Harmon received seven serious injuries, anyone of which would have killed him. His neck was broken, skull fractured and there were numerous abrasions.

Deputy Coroner Ed Purdy held an inquest Sunday morning and the jury decided that it was an unavoidable accident.

Solomon Francis Harmon was born at Laytonville, August 16, 1901. He had lived in this vicinity all of his life and in and about Willits for about 15 years. During the past summer he was employed at our ice works. He was married a second time but a few months ago and by a former marriage leaves a 12-year-old son. His father died when he was a baby and shortly afterwards his mother married J. R. Downing. His mother and stepfather, six brothers and numerous relatives are left to mourn his untimely end.

The funeral services were held at the Anker & Cleland mortuary chapel Tuesday afternoon.

A. R. SPRAGNE CALLED BY DEATH JANUARY 15

REDWOOD VALLEY, Jan. 18.—A. R. Sprague, well known valley resident, passed away at a private hospital in Ukiah last Sunday afternoon, January 15. On December 21 Mr. Sprague suffered a paralytic stroke and from that time gradually grew weaker until the end came peacefully Sunday afternoon.

Augustus R. Sprague was born in Illinois 70 years ago. He came west in early manhood and for many years lived at Oregon City, where he was a trusted employee in the paper mills.

He came to Redwood valley some 20 years ago and settled on the Sprague ranch in Salt Hollow.

About four years ago he was employed as janitor of the local school. He proved to be very faithful and efficient janitor, caring for the building and grounds with zealous care. He planted many trees to adorn the grounds and beautiful beds of flowers.

He was "in the harness" busy at his work, when the fatal stroke came.

Funeral services were held from Cleland's parlors Tuesday afternoon. A very large concourse of Redwood valley people were present to show their respect for the dead. The Rev. H. L. Fifer conducted the services, assisted by the Rev. Elbert Holland. H. T. Harvey sang two beautiful funeral anthems.

There were many beautiful floral tributes, noteworthy among these was an immense floral broken wheel with the inscription, "Service," contributed by the teachers and children of the Redwood valley union school.

A wife, Mrs. R. N. Sprague of Glendale, and four children, LeRoy of Modesto, Earl of Colton, Mrs. Edith Swain of Santa Barbara, and Mrs. Jewel Laforet (a foster daughter) of Ukiah, are left to mourn his loss. The family have the heartfelt sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

LOCALS

Robert Ross, a prominent rancher of Cleone, was in Ukiah last Monday on a business trip.

Mrs. Alice McCorquodale has been ill at her home in this city the past two weeks.

George H. Busch motored up from San Jose the first of the week. He will be followed in a few days by Mrs. Busch and the family will make their home here henceforth.

Attorney Charles Kasch was called to Lake county on legal business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Leedom and children were over from Fort Bragg during the week end for a visit with Mrs. Leedom's mother in this city.

E. B. Hiatt and wife were here from the Mountain house the latter part of last week.

Chas. Wallach, of Bell valley, was a Ukiah visitor last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lyttle came over from Oroville the early part of the week and have been visiting friends here.

HOLDERS OF SECURITIES TO BE TAXED $1.45 RATE

Actual Cash Value Is Basis for Computing Payments, Says Assessor

Holders of money and stocks, bonds and other taxable securities will find the lot of the "bloated bondholder" not one to be envied this year, according to County Assessor F. W. Reynolds. Under the new state law, all such money and securities are required to be taxed at $1.45 on each $100 of the "actual cash value," according to Reynolds.

And "actual cash value" does not mean par value, says Reynolds. It means the value of the securities on the stock market.

Since all kinds of securities are enjoying a bull market holders of them will find themselves at a big disadvantage as compared to holders of other classes of taxable property, such as real estate. The par value of a given security may be $100, while the market value has gone to considerably more than this, in some instances to several times as much. The owner, instead of paying on the par value, must pay on the two or three hundred dollars of market value. Some securities of a par value of $25 have gone to five or six times this sum on the market, and holders will have to pay on this increased worth.

So, as we pointed out above, the lot of the "bloated bondholder" is not one of unalloyed bliss.

There are a number of inequalities and injustices in the law. For instance a holder of a note secured by a mortgage on real estate is not liable to the tax, while the holder of an unsecured note or one secured by a chattel mortgage must pay. Holders of mortgage bonds secured by property in California are exempt, while those holding similar bonds secured by property outside the state must pay.

The law has the assessors of the state "jumping sideways" and there are cuss words loud and long throughout the precincts of courthouses all over California.

But the assessors are not the only people who will cuss when the true inwardness of the law comes out, says Reynolds. Many a holder of an unsecured note, complacent in the belief that he is getting a nice six per cent income on his money will find that he is actually getting only 4 and 55|100 per cent. Many owners of so-called "gilt-edged" bonds at 3 or 4 per cent will find that their actual income is 1 and 55|100 or 2 and 55|100 per cent.

The result, unless the law is modified or abrogated, will be to boost interest rates on all kinds of taxable securities and notes, while the owner of hard cash in bank will be looking for some one to give it away to on the day assessment returns are made.

HOPLAND NEWS

HOPLAND, Jan. 18.—Mrs. M. Lortz entertained the young married women's bridge club last Friday afternoon. High score was given to Mrs. Wm. Metzler and second score to Mrs. C. Doty. Everyone enjoyed a pleasant afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Geary motored to Santa Rosa Wednesday afternoon.

R. Neidt, of San Francisco, was a visitor here Tuesday

Miss Dorothy Jeffers gave a party for the high school girls last Saturday afternoon, in which she announced her engagement to Raymond Hiatt. Those present were Miss Elizabeth Lodge, Esther and Estella Alvarez, Marguerite Harpe, Margaret Vassar, Marie Sierck, Goldie Tuggle, Emma Chiossi and Ellen Ward.

The Hopland basketball team plays the Kelseyville team here Friday night. We sure wish the boys better success than they had in Ukiah. The Hopland team also goes to Mendocino City Saturday night for a game.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dawe were business visitors in Ukiah Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Metzler, Mrs. Charles Shimmin and Hollis Myers motored to Ukiah last Saturday. Beatrice Shimmin returned home with them for the week end with her brother, Bert Shimmin.

Miss Carpenter and Miss M. Cunningham will motor to San Francisco with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cunningham this Friday.

"Fathers' Night," given by the P. T. A. last Saturday night, was a great success. Mr. and Mrs. Cross, of Healdsburg, gave very interesting talks on child welfare. The musical part of the program was very interesting. Miss C. Burke sang two numbers which were enjoyed by everyone. Those who played numbers on the piano were Miss Estella Alvarez, Elizabeth Lodge, Marie Dooley, and Mary Tolman. Mrs. C. L. Smith and daughter, Gertrude, and Marie Dooley sang a very beautiful song.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alvarez left for San Francisco Wednesday for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Patteson spent the week end with Mrs. Patteson's folks in Healdsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson and family were visitors in Lakeport last Sunday

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Wm. Leard, of Potter valley, was a Ukiah visitor several days the past week.

FARM BUREAU DIRECTORS HOLD MONTHLY MEETING

The meeting of the Mendocino County Farm Bureau directors was called to order at 10:15 a. m. Monday with President L. L. Hooper in the chair. The secretary read the minutes of the December meeting, which were approved without correction. Financial report for the month of December and for the year of 1927 read and approved.

Center Reports

Director Hurst reported for Spy Rock, stating that no meeting had been held on account of bad weather.

Director Clow reported for the Willits center, stating that they had held fair meeting and had arranged details for their membership drive.

Director Whittaker reported no meeting held in Potter valley.

Director Grothe reported no meeting held in Ukiah.

Director Rawles reported that Anderson valley had held a very good meeting, electing officers, arranging their membership campaign, and are getting lined up for a successful year. In regard to the coyote situation they are very sorry to lose Mr. Prindle and he told of a number of coyotes having been seen in the valley. He thinks there are a good many in there yet and some are bad ones. Director I. C. Burke spoke on the apple situation and said that 1500 tons had been signed up for the new plant that is being considered for Anderson valley. Mr. Burke had made a trip to Fresno and had investigated the activities of that company in that section and everything seems favorable to him.

Director Avery reported for Hopland. They held election of officers for the coming year. W. L. Crawford was reelected chairman. They held a very interesting and instructive meeting. Judge Sturtevant of San Francisco and Judge Preston of Ukiah were present and made very excellent talks. Mr. Myszka spoke on spraying and blight control. A committee has arranged programs for the next six months.

Director Yarbrough reported for Redwood valley, stating that it was the largest meeting ever held. At least 250 were present and the membership drive was started off with 26 new members. They expect to increase their membership by about 50 for the coming year. They spoke of the importance of having a good chairman and thought they have chosen one for the coming year in John Finne.

Director Crispin reported for Pt. Arena. During the month they had two meetings—both with good attendance. They are getting their membership drive in order and expect increased activities the coming year.

Boys Club Dinner

Director-at-Large, J. C. Johnson, reported on the boys' club dinner given in Ukiah on the 29th of December, to the boys and girls who have completed club work during 1927. The clubs are operating in Point Arena, Covelo, Willits and Redwood valley and the coast. Point Arena and Covelo were not represented. During the year 52 members enrolled in the club work and 39 completed the work. The dinner was given at the hotel and addresses were made by Wm. Bromley and Judge Preston. Each boy or girl completing the club work for the year was presented with a pin which is a token of the completion of one year's work and is presented by the bankers association.

Predatory Animal Control

J. G. Traub of the Biological Survey work, reported on the coyote situation.

34 Ewes Killed by Dogs

Few depredations on live stock were reported, such as there were being small, with the exception of those reported by C. Smith of the Fountain ranch, who had 34 bred ewes killed by dogs during the month of December.

After Mr. Traub's report a good deal of discussion was held in regard to the situation in general and they all seemed to think that it was working out as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

Dog Problem Pressing

Director Avery of Hopland reported that the dog situation was still their greatest problem, he having lost a number of fine sheep lately by dogs. Others also have lost sheep.

The dog license law was again discussed at considerable length. Mr. Avery reported that the Woolmen's Association are making a special study of this matter and would like to have suggestions from different parts of the state. Director Avery moved that we adopt a resolution favorable to a workable dog license law. Motion seconded by Director Thomas and carried unanimously. A further motion was made by Director Thomas that we appoint a committee to draft this resolution. The chair appointed Directors Avery, Yarbrough, Clow and Crispin.

Membership Campaign

Membership committee report was made by Director Yarbrough. The report was quite ambitious in its nature and the card system is to be adopted and supervised by the committee throughout the year. Director Yarbrough requested that the membership be made permanent throughout the year 1928 and promised that the membership committee would cooperate with each farm center towards the end that the card system might be properly installed and every possible member secured in each community. Motion by Director Thomas that the report be adopted as made, seconded by Director Burke and carried without opposition. Motion by Director Thomas to make the committee permanent and they be given full power to carry out the program as outlined. Seconded and carried.

Annual Reports

The boys' pruning contest was discussed by Farm Advisor Myszka. At this time the annual report of the farm advisor was made by Mr. Myszka. He reviewed the work at considerable detail and filed a written report containing 106 pages of closely typewritten matter. This report is on file with the secretary and open to the inspection of any farmer in the county.

The full 100 pages of this report are packed with valuable information and it appears unfortunate that the details of this report cannot be placed in the hands of every agriculturist in the county. Certainly, it would enable him to do much better farming during the coming year.

At this time an adjournment was taken to listen to the report of the work done in the Marketing Exchange for the year. The Marketing Exchange appears to have been very successful and the report should be the subject of a separate article.

Officers Elected

The next regular business was the report of the nominating committee. This committee was composed of Directors Yarbrough, Avery, Whittaker, Clow, and Grothe. They reported for Directors at Large: J. C. Johnson, L. E. Crawford, A. R. Thomas, I. C. Burke, J. B. Bellatti, and J. M. Salinger. For state director: J. C. Johnson. For president of the county organization: L. L. Hooper. For vice-president: C. R. Yarbrough. Chairman Yarbrough further reported that the committee understood that they were not to nominate the secretary but they therefore wished to recommend to the board that Hugh Harvey be employed as secretary for the coming year. A motion was made, seconded and carried to the effect that the report of the nominating committee be accepted. Following this an election was held which resulted in each of the persons named being elected to the offices specified.

At this time some discussion was held in regard to the secretary. It was pointed out that some months ago the salary of the secretary had been increased from $40 to $50 per month and at that time he was required to pledge his services for the coming year and that it was also stated that the board of directors did not have the authority to employ him for another year, but that there were two sides to every argument and a moral obligation existed.

Mr. Bernhard, the present secretary, was then placed in nomination and the two names were balloted upon which resulted in the election of Mr. Harvey with 6 votes, Mr. Bernhard securing 5. Mr. Harvey was therefore declared elected.

Director Yarbrough moved that the chair appoint an auditing committee and that in the future this meet every three months and audit the books of the secretary. Motion carried and the chair stated that he would appoint this committee at a later time after more careful consideration.

Considerable other discussion was held but no other motions were made and no further business was transacted. The meeting adjourned until the next regular meeting in February.

LOCALS

George Golden, city marshal of Fort Bragg, was here the latter part of last week on business connected with the estate of the late Rockwell McMullen, of which he is executor.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Martin and Mrs. Paul Poulos have returned from a motor trip to southern California and Arizona.

Mrs. Scott Howard has been seriously ill at her home in Coyote valley the past ten days.

Jack Cowan left this week for the southern part of the state. He will visit at San Francisco for a few days on his way south with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ginochio.

A matter of Efficiency

SUCCESSFUL businesses require that telephones be conveniently located on desks or near at hand. Household efficiency makes the same demands.

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Combined Report of Condition

Of the BANK OF COVELO, at Covelo, California, as of the close of business on the 31st. day of December, 1927.

RESOURCES	Commercial	Combined
1. & 2. Loans and Discounts (including Rediscounts)	$56,623.69	$56,623.69
4. Overdrafts	646.50	646.50
6. U. S. Securities Owned	25,000.00	25,000.00
7. All Other Bonds, Warrants and Securities (including Premium thereon, less all offsetting Bond Adjustment Accounts)	35,483.72	35,483.72
8. Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures and Safe Deposit Vaults	21,550.00	21,550.00
11. Due from Other Banks	33,852.32	33,852.33
12. Actual Cash on Hand	9,838.26	9,838.26
TOTAL		$182,994.49
LIABILITIES		
18. Capital Paid in	$25,000.00	$25,000.00
19. Surplus	2,500.00	2,500.00
21. All Undivided Profits (less Expenses, Interest and Taxes Paid)	1,060.07	1,060.07
27b. Individual Deposits Subject to Check	130,909.42	130,909.42
27e. Time Certificates of Deposit	2,500.00	2,500.00
27f. Certified Checks	690.00	690.00
27g. Cashiers' Checks	335.00	335.00
28. County Deposits	20,000.00	20,000.00
TOTAL		$182,994.49
Interest Earned but not Collected (not included in Resources or Liabilities)	$ 1,307.11	$ 1,307.11

State of California, County of Mendocino, ss.

J. S. ROHRBOUGH, President (Vice-President), and J. D. ROHRBOUGH, Secretary of BANK OF COVELO, being duly sworn, each for himself, says he has a personal knowledge of the matters contained in the foregoing report of condition and that every allegation, statement, matter and thing therein contained, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Severally subscribed and sworn to before me by both deponents, the 14th day of Jan., 1928.

(Seal) E. A. GRAVIER,
Notary Public in and for said County of Mendocino, State of California.

J. S. ROHRBOUGH,
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NEW THIS WEEK

FOR SALE—The diamond ear rings, rings and brooch of Mrs. Mary Hughes now deceased appraised at $775.00, and other small items of jewelry, will be sold at private sale, either as a whole or separately, to close the estate. For particulars see W. D. L. Held, attorney at law, Ukiah, California. 17-2t

WANTED—First-class mechanic to rent The Scales Garage. Must have own equipment and good credit standing. Apply F. A. Yates, Ukiah, Calif. 17

BABY CHICKS—Golden Buff and White Leghorns (Thornwell-Tancred Strains), R. I. Reds (Queen Bess Strain), Barred Rocks, Turkens and Black Minorcas. Enoch Crews, Seabright, California. 17-3tp

WANTED — Dress-making, cutting and fitting, alterations and remodeling. Prices according to work. Mrs. Geo. R. Vivian, Route 1, Box 27, South Ukiah, Cherry Ave. 17-3tp

SMALL stock ranch wanted. Must be good, and cheap for cash. F. H. Tunsen, Heeser road, phone 184-W. 17-1tp

LIVESTOCK for sale or exchange—1 turkey hen, 7 small shoats, 2 sows, also good W. L. laying pullets. 210 wheel plow. F. H. Tunsen, Heeser road, phone 184-W. 17-1tp

SAW FILING—Any kind of saws filed and put into good shape. Asa Smith, 445 North State St. 1tp

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—6 room house, 3 blocks from courthouse, for quick sale $1750. M. B. Gibson & W. A. Ford. 16-tfc

PIANO FOR SALE at a bargain. In storage near Ukiah. Practically new. A repossession. Guaranteed. Beautiful Bungalow style. Can be purchased for balance due. Easy terms. $10 per month. Address W. A. MacDonald, 310 Sutter St., San Francisco. 12-6tc

FOR SALE—Dry stove wood. Also black oak chunk wood. Fireplace stumps. C. H. Smith, Redwood Valley. Phone 18F5. 16-8p

FOR SALE—960-acre sheep ranch, stocked, well improved. Ten miles from railroad, close to school and postoffice. $15,500. Terms. L. L. Hopkins. 11-tfc

FOR SALE — Improved vineyard land in Talmage section. In any size tracts desired. L. L. Hopkins. 11-tfc

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FOR SALE—Drag saw, 36 feet of 6-in. belting, well borer with extensions, corn planter, pine lumber. Mrs. E. B. Watson, near Laughlin, Redwood valley. 15-3p

FOR SALE—Very nice cucumber pickles in salt brine. 50c a gallon. Good measure. 601 Holden St., Ukiah. Phone 189-J. 15-3tp

FOR SALE—Property on Redwood highway. Fine for campground. Close to Ukiah. L. L. Hopkins. 11-tfc

A BARGAIN—Two acres on State street in the city limits. L. L. Hopkins. 11-tfc

FOR SALE—We have a good variety of apples, pear, peach, prune, cherry and walnut trees. Also 10,000 rooted grape vines. Come early and get the choice of the stock. Bent's Nursery, located on Peter Frey ranch. Phone 6-F-2. 13-12tc

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FOR SALE—One acre and a quarter in Potter valley, six-room house, lights, telephone, running water. Walnuts, blackberries and loganberries. Plenty of water. Pump, gas engine, 3000-gal. tank. Also relinquishment and improvements on 608 acres range land. Also some Flemish Giant and New Zealand rabbits. J. W. Gulley, Potter Valley. 15-tfp-3t

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WANTED—Two-horse grain drill. State name of maker, price and how to find it in first letter. L. E. Gravelle, Box 213, Ukiah, Calif. 15-3tp

WANTED—Family washing. Some ironing. Have Maytag washer. Work called for and delivered. Mrs. D. M. Phillips, John Cunningham house. west end of Mill street. 8-tfp

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Large lot near railroad depot in Ukiah city. Excellent location for lumber yard, wood yard or factory site. Inquire at this office. 38-tf

OFFICES FOR RENT—On State street. Apply 407 North State St. 16-tfc

LOST

LOST—Between Scott street and State hospital, open-face Elgin watch. Finder please return to this office. 16-3tp

MISCELLANEOUS

WILL EXCHANGE—Lot with old house in Los Angeles for two building lots in Ukiah. Write Mrs. P. A. Stanley, Middletown, Calif. 16-6tp

CHARLES SWANFELT—Contractor and builder. P. O. Box 114, Ukiah, California. Phone 614-J. Plans drawn, estimates given on all kinds of construction. 20-tfc

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SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

WALTER HENRY NEWMAN, Plaintiff,

vs.

CATHERINE McGUIGAN NEWMAN, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California, and the complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of the said County of Mendocino.

The People of the State of California Send Greeting to: CATHERINE McGUIGAN NEWMAN, Defendant.

YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED TO APPEAR and answer the Complaint in the action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this County; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract, or Plaintiff will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in said Complaint.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California, this 7th day of December, A. D. 1927

(SEAL)

W. H. PRATHER, Clerk.
By B. G. BROADDUS, Deputy Clerk.
CHARLES KASCH,
Attorney for Plaintiff. 13-10tc

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of ISAAC BROWN ELKINS, (also known as I. B. Elkins, also known as Cudge Elkins,) Deceased.

No. 4618

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned executrix of the last will and testament of Isaac Prown Elkins (also known as I. B. Elkins, also known as Cudge Elkins), Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Mendocino, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrix at the office of Hale McCowen, Jr., Minetti Building, in Ukiah, Mendocino County, California, which last named office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of Isaac Brown Elkins (also known as I. B. Elkins, also known as Cudge Elkins), deceased.

Dated: Ukiah, Mendocino County, California, December 28, 1927.

BARBARA ANN ELKINS,
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Isaac Brown Elkins, also known as I. B. Elkins, also known as Cudge Elkins, Deceased.
CASPER A. ORNBAUN,
Attorney for Executrix. 14-5t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of NOVA LANTZ, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, the administrator of the Estate of NOVA LANTZ, Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said decedent, to file them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the above named Court, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to said administrator at his residence at Dos Rios, Mendocino County, California, which said last named place the undersigned administrator selects as the place of business in all matters appertaining to or connected with the said estate of NOVA LANTZ, Deceased.

First publication in Ukiah Dispatch-Democrat, December 31, 1927.

CHARLES HILL,
As administrator of said estate.
BARRETT & McCONNELL,
Santa Rosa, California,
Attorneys for said administrator. 14-5t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of ANNIE E. CORCORAN, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, the Administrator of the Estate of Annie E. Corcoran, Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the above named Court, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to said administrator at the office of J. W. Kingren in the Preston Building, Ukiah, Mendocino County, California, which said last named place the undersigned administrator selects as the place of business in all matters appertaining to or connected with the said estate of Annie E. Corcoran, Deceased.

First publication in Ukiah Dispatch-Democrat, January 14th, 1928.

W. F. ORNBAUN,
As Administrator of said Estate.
J. W. KINGREN,
Attorney for said Administrator.
16-5t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of ROBERT PIPER, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, the administrator of the Estate of Robert Piper, Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the above named Court, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to said administrator at the office of J. W. Kingren in the Preston Building, Ukiah, Mendocino County, California, which said last named place the undersigned administrator selects as the place of business in all matters appertaining to the said estate of Robert Piper, Deceased.

F. M. PIPER,
As Administrator of said Estate.
J. W. KINGREN,
Attorney for said Administrator.
First publication in Ukiah Dispatch-Democrat, Jan. 14th, 1928.
16-5t

NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING ON PROBATE OF WILL

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of J. L. McGIMSEY, (also known as JOSEPH McGIMSEY, Deceased.

No. 4631

Notice is hereby given that on the 16th day of January, 1928, May B. McGimsey produced a document, purporting ot be the last will and testament of J. L. McGimsey, also known as Joseph McGimsey, deceased, and filed the same herein, together with her petition praying that the same be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued to said May B. McGimsey.

Notice is further hereby given that on the filing of said petition and the production of said document the Clerk of this Court fixed the hearing of said petition for Friday, the 10th day of February, 1928, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the Court room of this Court, in the Court house in Ukiah city, in said County and State, and all persons interested are hereby notified then and there to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said document should not be admitted to probate, as the last will and testament of said deceased, and letters testamentary should not be issued to said May B. McGimsey, the petitioner above named.

Dated this 16th day of January, 1928.

W. H. PRATHER,
County Clerk of said County of Mendocino, and ex-officio Clerk of the Superior Court thereof.
By B. G. BROADDUS, Deputy.
CASPER A. ORNBAUN,
Attorney for Petitioner. 17-3tc

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of WILLIAM DUNCAN, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, executrix of the last will and testament of William Duncan, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Mendocino, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrix, at her residence near Hopland, in the County of Mendocino, State of California, which said residence the undersigned hereby selects as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: January 18, 1928.

JENNIE DUNCAN,
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of William Duncan, Deceased. 17-5tc

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
H. N. FIFER, Minister

Sunday—9:45 a. m., Bible school; 11:00 a. m., public worship; 6:30 p. m., Junior Endeavor Society.

Wednesday—7:30 p. m., midweek meeting; devotional and instructional.

First Thursday of month Ladies' Society meeting at 2:30 p. m., preceded by Missionary Society meeting at 2:00 p. m.

The regular business meeting of the elders and trustees, in joint session, is held on the last Wednesday of each month at 8:45 p. m.

Geo. P. Anderson, church clerk; Wm. Bromley, church treasurer; P. W. Page, secretary of the board of trustees.

For Plumbing, see Cox-Thurston Hardware Co. 44-tf

INSTRUMENTS ON RECORD

anuary 12, 1928

PATENTS:

United States to C G O'Ferrall, dated September 20 1926. In Sec 36 T 23 N R 13 W MDM.

United States to C G O'Ferrall, dated September 20 1926. In Sec 36 T 23 N R 13 W MDM.

DEEDS:

H H Blaustein et ux to J J Zelter, dated January 5 1928. In Sec 16 T 12 N R 10 W MDM.

A M Johnson, commissioner to O P Fleckner, dated January 5 1928. In Sec 16 T 12 N R 10 W MDM.

MORTGAGE:

R W Cummins et ux to Savings Bank of Mendocino County, dated November 30 1927. Land in Secs 1 and 2 T 24 N R 14 W MDM. $500, 1 year, 7 per cent.

DECREE:

W S Miller estate to M E Miller. Land in Sec 28 T 18 N R 17 W MDM. Dated January 6 1928.

NOTICE OF ACTION:

United States, plaintiff vs M Lucchessi et al, defendants, dated January 12 1928. Action commenced to close building in Fort Bragg for one year.

RELEASE OF MORTGAGE:

W I Scheetz to G W Fitzhugh, dated January 10 1928. Releases mortgage recorded in Vol 17, official records, page 360.

RESOLUTION:

Savings Bank of Mendocino County, dated January 11 1928.

CANCELLATION OF MORTGAGES:

D Guidi et vir to Savings Bank of Mendocino County. Cancels mortgage recorded in book 95 of mortgages, page 186.

R W Cummins et ux to Savings Bank of Mendocino County. Cancels mortgage in book 95 of mortgages, page 54.

January 13, 1928

LIS PENDENS:

B H Bond, plaintiff vs O P Fisher et ux, dated January 12 1928. Notice to foreclose mortgage recorded in book 97 of mortgages, page 50.

CANCELLATION OF MORTGAGE:

J Gavin to Savings Bank of Mendocino County. Cancels mortgage in book 95, page 314.

DEEDS:

W E Seeburger et ux to P Nutt dated January 25 1927. Land in Sec 20 T 24 N R 12 W MDM.

A F Busch et ux to A J Rutherford et ux, dated December 1 1927. In Sec 7 T 17 N R 11 W MDM.

F A Lawrence et ux to J Abramson, dated December 15 1927. Property in City of Fort Bragg.

MORTGAGES:

H Schneider et ux to M A Poe, dated December 27 1927. Property in Blossom school district. $1000, 1 year, 6 per cent.

R L Buckman et al to Pacific Fruit Exchange, dated January 3 1928. Ranch in Redwood valley including crops. $1250, 8 per cent.

DEED OF TRUST:

A J Rutherford et ux to The Federal Land Bank of Berkeley et al, dated December 1 1927. Land in Sec 7 T 17 N R 11 W MDM. $9000.

RELEASE OF MORTGAGES:

G E Pinches to F Sansberry, dated January 10 1928. Releases mortgage in book 21 of official records, page 464. (Chattel mortgage).

A F Busch et ux to H Busch, dated December 1 1927. H Busch releases mortgage of A F Busch recorded in book 96 of mortgages, page 134.

K Roberts et al to A F Busch et ux, dated December 31 1927. Releases mortgage in book 6, official records, page 356.

E F Caldwell to L J Hogan, dated January 4 1928. Releases mortgage in book 86 of mortgages, page 334.

January 16, 1928

DEEDS:

N Taylor to J L Taylor et ux, dated January 10 1928. In Ukiah City.

J L Taylor et ux to N Taylor, dated January 9 1928. Property in Town of Ukiah City.

AGREEMENT:

C B Mallory et ux to F E Ball et ux, dated January 3 1928. Property in Fort Bragg.

MORTGAGE:

E R Washburn et al to E M Whitney, dated January 5 1928. Property in Willits. $750, 7 per cent.

RELEASE OF MORTGAGES:

P Connolly to C R Basford, dated September 10 1927. Releases mortgage recorded in book 1 of official records, page 493.

L S Baechtel to E R Washburn et ux, dated January 16 1928. Cancels mortgage in book 9 of official records, page 493.

January 17, 1928

DEEDS:

O P Fleckner et ux to J W Mailliard Jr., dated March 1 1927. Property in Secs 26 and 35 T 13 N R 14 W MDM.

L Gobbi et al to J Cunningham, dated December 29 1919. Property in Gobbi Addn., Ukiah.

H Dajas et ux to J Raciti, dated January 17 1928. Property in City of Ukiah.

H Kantor to S Boyd, dated July 25 1927. Undivided 1-3 interest in property in Mendocino City.

M Ruonavaara to E M Ludin, dated January 14 1928. Property in Town of Albion.

J Garvin estate to S Boyd, dated July 25 1927. Undivided 1-3 interest in property in Mendocino City.

PARTIAL RECONVEYANCE:

C B Shaw et al to O P Fleckner, dated January 13 1928. NW¼ of SE¼, S½ of SE¼, E½ of SW¼ Sec 26; NE¼ of NW¼ of Sec 3g T 13 N R 14 W MDM.

NOTICE OF ELECTION TO SELL OR CAUSE TO BE SOLD PROPERTY TO SATISFY AN OBLIGATION SECURED BY

DEED OF TRUST:

Wm Dale to A Parrish et ux, dated November 14 1927. Property in Secs 28 and 33 T 5 Range 2 East, Humboldt Meridian.

MORTGAGE:

H Sindt et al to G A Smart, dated December 31 1927. In Sec 20 T 18 N R 13 W MDM. $1810, 3 years, 6½ per cent.

HOP CONTRACT:

E Howell to Falk Wormser & Co., Inc., dated December 29 1927. 20,000 pounds of hops of season of 1928 for 17½ cents. Grown on Howell ranch, Ukiah valley.

CANCELLATIONS:

J Crawford to R Hixson. Cancels mortgage in book 93 of mortgages, page 426.

January 18, 1928

DEEDS:

A P White et ux to Calif Land & Livestock Co., dated October 8 1927. Property in Secs 29 and 32 T 5 S R 2 E HM.

L F Bishop to P Kerwin, dated September 26 1927. Property in Manchester.

P Kerwin to J Grainger, dated January 12 1928. Property in Town of Manchester.

Livy N Campbell et ux to J W Mailliard, Jr., dated January 12 1928. 400 acres in Secs 29, 32 and 33 T 13 N R 14 W MDM.

AGREEMENT OF SALE AND PURCHASE:

John A Gibson et ux to Enrico Lorenzi & Gacondo Lorenzi, dated January 12 1928. 43 acres of land adjacent to SE corner of Lot 105 of Yokayo Rancho. Price $9000.

MORTGAGE:

J W Mailliard, Jr. et ux to The Coast National Bank of Fort Bragg, dated January 3 1928. 400 acres in Secs 29, 32 and 33 T 13 N R 14 W MDM. $1500, 2 years, 7 per cent.

MORTGAGE:

Juliette Grainger et vir to Patrick Kerwin, dated January 14 1928. Property in town of Manchester. $400, 6 per cent, payable in installments.

PARTIAL RELEASE OF MORTGAGE:

Abe B Repua to L N Campbell et ux, dated January 12 1928. 400 acres released from mortgage dated March 2 1927 and recorded in book 18, page 360, official records.

NOTICE OF REDEMPTION:

From county auditor to county recorder, dated December 30 1928. That Earl A McDonald on December 30 1927 redeemed lots 11 and 12, blk 7, subd 1 of Cloverdale Park, which was sold to state as per deed recorded in book 172 of deeds, page 280, being deed from tax collector to state No 224.

SANTA ROSA MAN HURT IN COAST AUTO ACCIDENT

D. W. Fitts in Shadow of Death from Injuries Sustained Monday

FORT BRAGG, Jan. 11.—D. W. Fitts of Santa Rosa met with an automobile accident Monday afternoon just south of Albion that may cost him his life and at best may leave him a cripple for life. He was on his way to Mendocino and Fort Bragg in the interests of his company and was driving a Buick six which had been built over into a truck for the purpose of handling pianos. He was driving north and had just crossed the high bridge spanning Salmon creek when his trouble occurred. In swinging off from the bridge and in making a turn his car cramped either from the steering gear going wrong or because he turned too quickly in the roadbed which was somewhat soft at that point, and the car got out of control, left the road and went down the steep embankment about 100 feet to the lower roadbed leading down to old Whitesboro.

Fitts went all the way down with the car and the miracle is that he was not instantly killed for the car was so badly damaged that a wrecking crew that went down to pull it out and salvage it if possible, dragged the battered remains from the roadway and did not attempt to bring the car in because it was so thoroughly demolished.

An examination at the hospital revealed a fracture of the spine and there is a possible fracture of the skull. The injured man has been conscious a part of the time since his injury, and at present is resting fairly well. Dr. Bowman believes he has a very good chance for recovery.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The Ukiah Farmers' Club, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of The Ukiah Farmers' Club, Incorporated, will be held at the Odd Fellows hall, Ukiah, California, on Saturday, February 11, 1928, at the hour of 12 o'cock noon.

All stockholders are requested to be present.

17-3t J. C. JOHNSON, President.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
A. A. DOAK, Pastor.

Bible school, 9:45 a. m. L. H. Foster, superintendent. W. G. Collier, assistant superintendent.

The worship period Sunday morning begins at 11 and closes at 12.

The Junior and Senior Endeavor Societies meet at 6:30 p. m.

The regular evening church service begins at 7:30 and closes at 8:00. We begin on time and close on time. Our meetings are all programed and run on schedule time.

Dr. Milo J. Smith will begin his meeting with us February 12, to continue two weeks.

Mrs. J. L. McCracken, the president of our splendid choir, was hostess at a most elaborate dinner for the choir Thursday evening.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Morris and daughter, Mary Jane, were visitors to Napa last Saturday night and Sunday, spending the week end with Mr. Morris's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morris.

Finis Vann was down from Potter valley Saturday on a short business visit in this city.

Ed Haehl, well known sheep man of the southern part of the county, was a Ukiah visitor the latter part of last week.

E. A. Cox and family were in from their ranch near Orrs the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pickle, of Potter valley, were among the well known citizens in town the latter part of last week.

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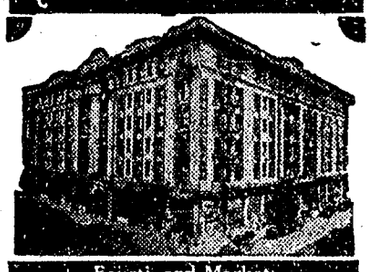
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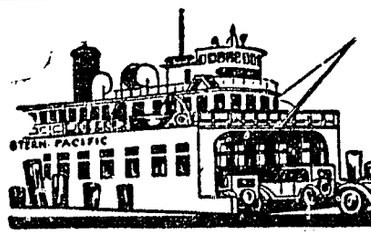
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The Chamber of Commerce

The Ukiah chamber of commerce is to be reorganized. That is a good thing. Ukiah needs a chamber of commerce. The community could scarcely do without it now. In spite of numerous sins, both of omission and commission, the chamber of commerce has been of untold benefit to the community. Without it, progress is almost impossible.

It has been charged by some that certain business interests of the city have been favored to the detriment of others, where all were members and all should have received an equal amount of consideration. This may or may not be true. It is likely in the light of recent developments that a change of secretaries a year ago would have been advisable, not because the secretary was inefficient, for he was not, but because one in his position must inevitably in the course of time inspire more or less antipathy among a membership with so many conflicting interests, while to maintain the highest degree of efficiency a chamber of commerce should be administered with a minimum degree of friction. When a secretary becomes persona non grata to any considerable number of the members, his efficiency and that of the organization is impaired to a great degree. As a rule a commercial secretary's period of usefulness is about two years. After that he has, to employ a slang expression, "used up his bag of tricks."

The Ukiah chamber of commerce is now starting anew to all intents and purposes. The slate is being wiped clean. The past is ancient history, so let's forget it, except where a study of past mistakes will point a way to avoid them in the future. Let's join or renew 100 per cent and make the chamber of commerce bigger, better and more useful than ever before.

Ukiah straight ahead—1928.

Let's go!

Santa Rosa Abolishes Business License

The city council of Santa Rosa last week abolished its business license tax with a few exceptions. Practically all permanent businesses and professions in that city are now exempt. Those which continue to pay the tax are: Bill posting or sign painting companies; hand-bill or dodger distributors; advertisers by steroptican or motion picture pictures; arcade proprietors; proprietors of auto storage lots not having a building; pool halls; bowling alleys; wrestling exhibitors; cars for hire; check rooms; circuses, including side-shows, menageries, etc., appearing under canvas; carnivals; owners of public conveyances or places showing advertising; public weighmasters; publishers of city or other classified directories; concessions; skating rinks; fire sales; peddlers; junk dealers; itinerant junk collectors; auctioneers; swimming tanks; oil businesses (does not include filling stations); pawn-brokers; palm readers; astrologists that read fortunes by stars, etc.; shooting galleries; manure collectors; all manner of street stands for peddling purposes; news stands; businesses offering trade for stamps collected; itinerary vendors of all kinds; herb doctors; taxis; passenger bus lines and freight and express bus lines.

The business license tax is still a part of the tax system in Ukiah. It is unfair and discrimnatory. The city trustees would do well to abolish it.

A frank admission of the advertising value of the local newspapers was furnished recently when the committee of the chamber of commerce planning for reorganization of that body asked for the cooperation of the press. J. M. Silvey, who is conducting the work, stated that without the cooperation and publicity which the newspapers alone were able to furnish, the effectiveness of the campaign would be greatly hampered.

Similar pleas were made when the rodeo was established here, and similar pleas are made whenever any event of a community nature is sought to be put over.

But when the newspaper asks for advertising from the local business man he is told that newspaper advertising does not pay.

In other words, when the newspapers give their space without charge their services are acknowledged to be of untold benefit, but when the publicity is sought to be exchanged for cash it is decried as without value.

"O, consistency, where art thy jewelry?"

FOOTBALL BANQUET HELD BY HIGH SCHOOL PLAYERS

Last Monday evening the football players of the Ukiah union high school met at the Maple confectionery for their annual banquet. The banquet which was a banquet in every sense of the word was furnished by Messrs. Warren Brown, Paul Poulos and A. A. Doak. It was a real "feed" as the fellows called it.

The table was beautifully decorated in the school colors. In the center of the table also bearing the school colors was the football that was carried across the line for the winning score in the Ukiah-Arcata game. This ball, which bears the names of the players, was given to Gerald Ganter, captain and star player of the team. This school year has brought with it the most successful football season that U. H. S. has enjoyed for several years. Each fellow as the games were played again praised and accredited Coach Gerson with the success of the team.

There was thirty-five players present.

Miss Joan Moulton returned to her home in Ukiah Tuesday evening. Miss Joan has been in Riverside with her grandmother since last August. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Moulton.

FOUR MORE GOOD ACTS AT STATE NEXT TUESDAY

The State's vaudeville bill next Tuesday evening contains four more good acts, which, with the picture program for that evening, will round out a well balanced entertainment.

Perrell, a comedy shadowgraphist, is the opening act. He is a clever silhouette artist who injects some fine comedy hits into his act, which, in itself, is a splendid novelty.

Jimmy Norton, in "Snapshots," is a character comedian with song and dance bits. He is a clever performer and has a fund of ready humor which keeps the audience in an uproar throughout his act.

Ivan & Co. appear in character bits and song and dance hits with Dolly Rae and Ted White. The act opens with a Chinese story, then goes into different character dances, featuring an old-fashioned tin-type dance. This is one of the best acts yet to appear here.

The Bell Thazer duo are a young couple in a cleverly constructed hand balancing act and head tricks that are novel and prettily staged.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Thomas were visitors to San Francisco last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hildreth and sons went to San Francisco for several days this week.

OUSTING OF CONSTABLE RECOMMENDED BY JURY

Fort Bragg Man Accused of Misconduct and Neglect of Duty by Judicial Body

The grand jury which met here last week filed two indictments and an accusation before adjourning last Thursday. The indictments were placed on the secret file, while the accusation was lodged with District Attorney L. I. Gibson, asking him to take steps looking to the removal from office of Bert Johnson, constable of Ten Mile township, the judicial district which includes the city of Fort Bragg.

As grounds for its action, the grand jury cites five counts.

The first of these charges that Johnson was given a warrant of arrest to serve on Tom Klobas, of Fort Bragg, and that, instead of serving the warrant and arresting Klobas, he neglected and refused to serve the warrant and threw it into a trash pile.

The second charges that Johnson was given a writ of attachment for $12.15 and $2.00 costs to serve against one, Spencer Hamblin; that he served the writ and collected $21.65 from Hamblin, sent $14.15 to satisfy the writ and kept $7.50 as his fee, whereas, under the law, he was entitled to but $1.25.

The third count charges a similar offense against Hamblin in another attachment matter, wherein judgment was given for $11.28. Johnson is alleged to have collected $23.03 and to have charged $11.75 as his fee, whereas he was entitled to but $1.42.

The fourth count charges a similar offense against A. D. Johnson, from whom he is alleged to have collected $24.00 on a judgment for $18.00 and to have kept $6.00 for himself, whereas his fee was fixed at $1.25.

The fifth charge alleges that he was given a summons to serve against one, Matt Moilanen. He returned the summons as having been served, whereas, he made no service, according to the accusation.

RUM RUNNERS AND CARS CAPTURED BY DRY SQUAD

Francisco Benedetto, said to have been in the toils of the law on bootleg charges on at least two prior occassions, was taken near Willits Tuesday with a load of booze which he was taking through to Eureka. Benedetto had 42 gallons of jackass. His Chevrolet roadster was confiscated and will be sold, while the liquor has been stored at the county jail. He entered a plea of guilty before Judge Hoffman and was fined $450. The arrest was made by McDaniels and Weger.

A. Pola was taken at Fort Bragg by the same officers Monday. He was taking orders and had a sample of his goods and a hydrometer with which he gave tests to his customers as desired. He also had a number of boxed cigars spread out over the barrels of liquor and was posing as a cigar salesman. He had a 1927 2-door Buick sedan in which the officers found 60 gallons of jackass.

Pola also lost his car and was fined $450 when taken before Judge Hoffman to enter his plea of guilty.

WHITNEY HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE WEDNESDAY

WILLITS, Jan. 19.—The former home of Judge E. M. Whitney, located eleven miles north of Willits on the state highway, burned to the ground last night about 6:20. The house was a total loss and most of the furniture, including a pool table, was destroyed but some furniture was saved by automobile tourists passing who discovered the fire. Mrs. Whitney only last week had the roof of the dwelling completely repaired and painted and considerable improvements were made on the dwelling.

Both Frank Whitney and Mrs. E. M. Whitney had spent the afternoon before the fire at the house rearranging furniture and cleaning the house up after the workmen. They had a fire in the kitchen during the afternoon but it was out when they left the property. It is believed that the fire originated from a defective chimney for when the fire was discovered the ceiling and roof over the kitchen was a mass of flames.

Everyone will remember the wonderful show spot Mr. and Mrs. Whitney made of their summer home and it will be many years before there will be as attractive a home on the Redwood highway as this place. The house was modern in every respect, including a gas lighting and cooking plant. The loss is estimated at $4,000.00, which is fully covered by insurance.

H. Nunn, of Philo, was a business visitor in this city yesterday.

Kedar Cowsert, well known rancher of this section, has been confined to his home in Ukiah the past two weeks by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Edwards returned to their homes here Sunday following a two weeks' motor trip to the southern part of the state.

REV. H. E. SECOR GOES TO FINAL REST JAN. 12

Pastor of Covelo Baptist Church Passes Away in San Francisco

COVELO, Jan. 19.—This community was saddened Thursday by a message announcing the death of Rev. Secor at Lane hospital, San Francisco, that afternoon. The body was brought to Covelo Friday, accompanied by Mrs. Secor and son, Homer, who had been with the husband and father during his long illness; also James I. Hurt of Covelo, and Rev. H. P. Spiller, of Lakeport.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. at the Baptist church, in charge of Rev. Spiller, assisted by Rev. R. M. Lippert of the Covelo Presbyterian church. Music was furnished by a male quartet consisting of members of the Grey family—Will, Sam, Charles and Clarence, with Mrs. Amy Redwine at the piano.

The services throughout were impressive, attesting to the high regard in which this good man was held in the community. Preceding the sermon the following obituary was read:

"Rev. Henry Elmer Secor was born December 13, 1870, near Avilla, Ind. Born again about 1890, and united with the Kendallville Baptist church. Was married to Ella Trip, Kendallville, Ind., December 27, 1892. To this union two sons were born. One, Donavon, preceded his father into the presence of the Master. The other, Homer Kennedy, remains and was with his father in his last days.

In 1908, Mr. Secor with his family left Indiana and came to Hagaman, Idaho, where he engaged in ranching for about eight years. Then, feeling that the Lord had special work for him in the church, he engaged as a colporteur under American Baptist Publication Society, doing work in Idaho and Utah until he accepted the call of the First Baptist church of Magna, Utah. He labored with this church for six years, resigning to accept the call of the Carruthers Baptist church, where he labored faithfully for two and a half years, resigning to come to Covelo, where he has labored for the past two years.

About the middle of November last, feeling the need of medical attention, Brother Secor accompanied by his wife and son, went to San Francisco to Lane hospital where he submitted to a major operation in hopes of recovering his health. It seems it was the Lord's will to promote him, so accordingly he answered the call to Come up Higher, on the afternoon of January 12, 1928.

Brother Secor endeared himself to the many who knew him by those qualities of character that endure after the man has been removed. As a pastor and preacher, he was fearless in his preaching and positive in his convictions. His work speaks for itself in the three fields where his ministry was held in high esteem, by not only the members of the church, but by the communities where he ministered. In his going, the denomination, the community, the church and his family suffer a great loss. He leaves to mourn his departure his fathful helpmate who has labored by his side in the gospel work, his son, Homer, of New York City, and a host of friends in each of the communities where he has lived."

Following the services interment was made in the Covelo cemetery.

Mrs. Secor and son, Homer, will remain in Covelo for perhaps two weeks, at which time Homer will return to New York and Mrs. Secor will visit her sister and other relatives in Indiana, before going on to New York to join the son.

Their many Covelo friends offer deepest sympathy at this time of sorrow.

HOSPITAL NOTES

George Meek was operated upon Monday morning for appendicitis by Dr. Cleland.

Dan Grisby is in the hospital under medical supervision.

INVESTIGATING BURGLARY

Sheriff Byrnes was called to Boonville the first of the week on account of a burglary at the Farrer store. The burglars took $51.90 from the till.

J. M. Shelton, a rancher of the Willits section, was in town on business at the courthouse the first of the week.

Tom Orr, who has been in Humboldt county for several weeks, was in town for a few days the first of the week. He returned Wednesday and will probably spend several months there.

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ADULTS 50c CHILDREN 10c

SUNDAY, JANUARY 22

ALIAS THE DEACON
Funnier than the famous stage play of the same name.
Comedy, "SMITH'S SURPRISE"
"A SMALL TOWN SHERIFF" Fable
SPECIAL KINOGRAM NEWS
Matinee 2:15 P. M.

MONDAY, JANUARY 23

BILL CODY
—IN—
"Born To Battle"
Comedy, "STEAMED UP"
Cartoon, "LOST AND FOUND"
FOX NEWS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 24, ONLY

An Excellent Variety Program

Alex Perrell
"In Shadow Land"

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"Character Bits and Dance Hits"

Jimmy Norton
in
"Snapshots"

Bell Thazer Duo
"Novelty Hand Balancing"

COMEDY — PARAMOUNT NEWS — TOPICS
Adults 60c — Students 40c — Children 20c

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25

"THE RACING WIZARD," a Universal Western
Comedy, "BUSTER WHAT'S NEXT?"
SPECIAL KINOGRAM NEWS

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, JANUARY 26-27

Novelty, "TODDLE" Comedy, "OCEAN BLUES"
PATHE REVIEW FOX NEWS
ADULTS 50c; CHILDREN 10c

SATURDAY, JANUARY 28

"RETURN OF THE RIDDLE RIDER," a clever serial
Comedy, "DUCK SOUP" Cartoon, "KOKO THE KOP"
PARAMOUNT NEWS
MATINEE 2:15 P. M.

F. E. Gilmore has been spending several days in town this week, coming down from his ranch near Hearst.

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